

BARRIE AND REDMEN FIGHT TONIGHT

Plans Go Forward For Registration Of All Canadians

BOTH POLITICAL PARTIES
SHARE IN ORGANIZATION
OF RIDING

MUST REGISTER

Rev. Capt. Mesley, King township, Liberal, has been appointed registrar, and J. Bruce McKinnon, Roche's Point, Conservative, has been appointed assistant registrar, for North York, for the registration of all men and women 16 years of age and over.

Plans for the registration were made known by Hon. James G. Gardiner, minister of national war services, in the house of commons. It is hoped that registration will be completed by the end of August.

Members of parliament have nominated registrars and assistant registrars in their constituencies, and they in turn will appoint deputy-registrars in all polling subdivisions. The deputy-registrars will post notices of registration as soon as the dates are fixed and will secure registration booths.

All persons are required to attend registration booths on the given dates, to answer questions (18 for men, 19 for women, or a lot more than that when you count all the sub-questions) put to them by the deputy-registrars. Answers will be written on registration cards. In cases where a person is ill or incapacitated the deputy-registrar may send an assistant to complete the registration at that person's home.

If a person fails to register, he or she will be punished by a fine of \$200 or imprisonment for three months or both, with an additional penalty of \$10 a day for each day elapsing between the close of registration and the person's registration or trial.

A fine of \$100 is provided for refusal to answer any registration question, a fine of \$200 or

JOINS THE IRISH

Carl Preston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Preston of Newmarket, has joined the Irish Regiment and is stationed at Toronto.

three months' imprisonment or both for giving misleading answers, and a fine of \$200 and imprisonment for any person advising any citizen to refuse or omit to comply with the regulations or impeding any officer in carrying out the regulations.

All persons will be given registration certificates, which they will have to carry with them at all times. Penalties are provided for refusal or failure to produce certificates on demand. Other penalties are provided by the Registration Act.

In the words of Hon. James G. Gardiner, registration of all the people of Canada will serve two purposes, "the first one being to get a complete picture of the conditions existing with respect to man-power and woman-power in Canada today, with regard to where they are, their background and their condition of health. All information of that kind would be required, and it will be made available not only to the department of national defence, but to all departments of government—old age pensions, health, and so on. This information can be used for different purposes in connection with the care of our population during a period of war, and perhaps afterwards."

"The other purpose is the one which has been outlined, namely that of obtaining registration of those who are available for training in Canada immediately and throughout the war period."

Indications are that voluntary organizations will be set up in each constituency, in addition to officials appointed by the government, to help carry out the task of registration.

SCOUTS MAKE WAY FOR CUBS AT I. G. CAMP

BOYS HAVE INTERESTING
TIME AT ISLAND GROVE
CAMP

MAKE TRIP TO ISLAND

Thirty-three Newmarket Wolf Cubs went into camp at Island Grove on Wednesday.

Newmarket's 2nd troop of Boy Scouts broke up camp at Island Grove yesterday, and the 2nd Newmarket Wolf Cub pack went into camp. The incoming Cubs were led by Cubmaster Jack Hamilton.

The Scout camp was an undoubted success. Assisting Scoutmaster B. A. Budd were Assistant Jack Malcolm, John Hunter, troop leader, Ron Bremner, University of Toronto student, who makes a hobby of the study of birds, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hays, camp cooks, who prepared appetizing meals.

A typical day at camp began with reveille at 7 a.m., followed by a dip in the lake and breakfast at 8. Then came the rolling up of beds and the tidying of tents, with flag-break at 9.

A duty patrol washed the dishes, got the water, and inspected the camp.

Formal tent inspection followed, and blankets were spread out in front of the tents. From 10 to 11:30 was study and instruction period, followed by half an hour of leisure and a dip at 12.

Dinner came at 1 p.m. The boys set their own places, then marched in and sang the grace. Three boys were assigned as waiters. All the boys waited until the meal period was over before leaving the table.

There was a rest-period from 1:30 to 3 p.m. and instruction from 3 to 4. Games followed from 4 to 5 o'clock, with a dip at 5:30.

Supper was at 6 p.m. followed by another half-hour rest period. At 7 the boys took in their blankets, made their beds and tidied the tents for the night.

At sundown there was flag-lowering, with a camp-fire, singing and music at 9:30. At 10 the boys prepared for bed, and at 10:30 lights were out.

On Sunday the boys paraded to church at Island Grove, and another day camp routine was broken with a trip to Snake Island, across from Island Grove. The boys had dinner there, ate a water-melon brought up by Dr. G. E. Case, and successfully tried flag-signalling across the channel.

On Tuesday evening the big camp-night took place and the final campfire. Every other day there was a visit from one of the town doctors. Two boys were sent home at one point, but returned in a couple of days with a clean bill of health.

There were 22 persons in the camp including Scouts and staff.

ACCIDENT VICTIM IS RECOVERING

Wm. Winger, who fell off a 12-foot scaffold at Roche's Point on July 8, breaking both wrists and several ribs, is progressing satisfactorily. He is in York county hospital.

DORA PEMBERTON DIES IN FIFTEENTH YEAR

Following a six months illness, Dora Marie Pemberton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Pemberton, died at York county hospital early Saturday morning, as a result of heart trouble.

Born in Shanty Bay on March 12, 1920, she later moved with her parents to Newmarket. She attended the Alexander Muir school, where she was popular with fellow students. She attended the Salvation Army church.

Surviving besides her parents and a twin brother, Delbert, are two other brothers, Harold and Percy, and two sisters, Margaret (Mrs. Harry Glenn) and Lois.

The funeral service was held from the Salvation Army Hall on Monday, and was conducted by Capt. Ernest Falle, assisted by Major Falle and Adjutant S. G. Boulton, former adjutant here.

The pallbearers were Misses Doris Dorothy Tansley and Zilpah and Florence Lavender. Interment was made in Newmarket cemetery.

NEW FRONT GOES UP

An attractive new front is being built on Alec's restaurant on Main St.

IT'S PRETTY NEARLY AIRTIGHT BASEBALL THAT TOWN LEAGUE TEAMS ARE PLAYING THESE DAYS

Before an enthusiastic audience at the fair grounds on Tuesday evening the Sons of England took the bugle band into camp by a 2-0 score, in a really hard-fought hardball game.

In the first inning, Fairey, the first man up for the buglers, rapped a double, after Frank Boyd had struck out. Dobbie got on base on Williamson's error but Fairey was caught trying to make third. This was the best scoring chance the buglers had during the game.

The Sons of England got their two runs in the second on an infield hit by Barker, who promptly stole second. Then Langton got on first on Fairey's error. Bill VanZant scored them both by driving a grounder between Gunn and Andrews.

This was the only scoring chance the Sons of England had during the game. Only Williamson reached first after this and that was on Ruddock's error.

The bugle band had a great scoring chance in the sixth but they failed to score a run.

Fairey, the first man up, cracked out his second double of the game, Boyd struck out, Dobbie got a base on balls and Gunn got on first on an error. This loaded the bases, with one out, but Williamson struck out and Andrews fled out to A. Evans in centre field.

Stan Evans, on the mound for Sons of England, allowed three hits, while he struck out 11 batters, thus bringing his strikeout total for five games to 57.

Lusted, pitching for the bugle band, allowed only two hits, both of these being ground balls which rolled through the infield, but his support failed him in the pinches.

It was do or die for the buglers, who now have only a very slight chance of getting in the playoffs.

The next game will be on Friday evening when those old rivals, the Davis Leather and Office Specialty, meet. The leathermen already have one victory over the Specialty but the Specialty boys are out to get revenge in this game.

"There Are People Like Hitler In Newmarket..."

CHURCH UNION FOR SUMMER IS INSPIRATION, DECLARES PASTOR

Union for July and August of the United and Christian churches "is an inspiration, now and when it was conceived in the first place," Rev. Arthur Greer, pastor of the Christian church, said at a united service on Sunday morning.

"In summer-time we are wont to meet with such small groups that it is discouraging," Mr. Greer declared. "Under this arrangement we have a good congregation every Sunday. It is encouraging for both the minister and the people, and the minister is encouraged to put in hours of study in preparation."

Mr. Greer preached a "prophetic" sermon on when war would cease. In the course of his remarks he said: "Can you imagine Hitler willing to be saved? And there are a lot of people like Hitler—and they're not all in Germany—some of them in Newmarket, who do not will to be saved."

81-YEAR-OLD LADY SPENDS WEEK IN TENT

Among the most enthusiastic of those who attended the Free Methodist church camp meeting held last week at Holland Landing park was Mrs. Robert Graves, Millard Ave.

Mrs. Graves is 84 years of age. The fact that she had been ill in bed the previous week still did not dissuade her from spending the week living in a tent and enjoying the meetings. She returned home on Monday.

SUFFERS BREAKDOWN

E. H. Adams has suffered a nervous breakdown and will be away from his place of business for a few weeks.

FORMER NEWMARKET BOY TAKES THORNHILL CHARGE

Rev. E. A. Curry, a former Newmarket boy, having attended the local schools, and who has until recently been minister of Lyons church, God Bay, has accepted the Thornhill charge. Rev. Mr. Curry was inducted at a service last Thursday evening.

HEART ATTACK PROVES FATAL TO AURORA LADY

Funeral services took place this afternoon for Mrs. George Sanford, of Aurora, who died on Tuesday at the home of her husband's sister, Mrs. Herbert Haight, Newmarket.

Rev. Dr. D. McIntyre conducted a service at Roadhouse and Rose funeral chapel, followed by interment in Aurora cemetery.

Born in Ballantrae, Ida Myrtle Lustic was the daughter of Matilda Stiner and Jacob Lustic, who moved to Aurora when she was five years old. She was educated in Aurora.

In 1911 she married George Sanford of Aurora. In ill health for several years, she had been staying in Newmarket the last few months. She died suddenly of a heart condition. She would have been 49 years old next November.

She leaves, besides her husband, one son, Homer Ottowell Sanford, Toronto, and a brother, Peter Lustic, Hamilton, who were here for the service today.

TOWN LEAGUE HARDBALL STANDING

	Won	Lost	Ties
S. O. E.	4	1	5
Davis Leather	3	2	8
Office Specialty	2	3	4
Bugle Band	1	4	2

WIN DECISION OVER HILLERS

Newmarket Redmen eked out a 6-5 decision over Richmond Hill on Monday night at the local ball park.

Bennett pitched good ball up to the fourth inning but blew up temporarily and the Redmen collected five runs on hits by Trivett, Gibney, Hilton, Niles, Tomblinson, and Cain, helped by two errors by the Hillers.

Trivett opened up with a single and went to second on a single by Gibney. Bob Peters lined a hit to shortstop, Cochrane caught Trivett going from second to third. Then Hilton doubled to clear the bases, and went to third on an error by the catcher.

VanZant was on an error by the Hillers' shortstop and Hilton scored on the play. Then Niles and Tomblinson doubled to knock in two more runs, Cain singled, and Trivett made the last out at first. This, coupled with one run in the first was Newmarket's total scoring.

Richmond Hill, with one run in the second inning, three in the third, and one more in the fourth, made it a close game. A belated rally in the last inning just failed to produce the tying run. J. Crean singled and stole second base. Cochrane was thrown out at first and Crean went to third base. Then Niles bore down on the next two batters, Saul struck out and Bennett popped to Jack Luck, ending the game.

Wes Niles pitched a steady game for the Redmen, backed by hard hitting from the whole team. The fielding of Jack Luck also drew several rounds of applause from the crowd. Bennett's pitching and Saul's home run in the third inning were the highlights from the Hillers' standpoint.

Newmarket: C. VanZant c, W. Niles p, R. Peters 1b, J. Luck 2b, Hilton ss, Trivett 3b, Tomblinson 1b, H. Cain cf, and H. Gibney rf. Richmond Hill: Ecklin c, Bennett p, Young 1b, Saul 2b, Cochrane ss, O'Dell 3b, Brockbank lf, J. Crean cf, and A. Crean rf.

WILL PREACH FAREWELL SERVICES ON SUNDAY

On next Sunday, July 28, Rev. Dr. D. McIntyre will close a pastorate of more than twelve and a half years in St. Andrew's church, Newmarket. In the morning, Dr. McIntyre's farewell message will be directed to the general public and in the evening the message will be more specifically to the members and adherents of the congregation.

MONEY RETURNED

An Era classified advertiser recovered a sum of money last week through a lost "ad." Without the advertisement in The Era the finder would have had no idea to whom the money belonged.



IS ON ACTIVE LIST

Sapper Douglas Mereweather of the Royal Canadian Engineers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mereweather of Mount Albert and cousin of Mrs. Clarence Patten of Newmarket, is now with the Canadian Active Service Force, "somewhere in England."

HEAVY GRAIN YIELDS ARE YORK PROSPECT

Heavy grain crops are in prospect, according to the appearance of the fields.

Some grain is down as the result of storms, but not any substantial amount, according to W. M. Cockburn, York county agricultural representative, Newmarket. Grain that is down does not mean a total loss, but doesn't develop like the standing grain, he said.

Some of the grain appears ready for cutting now, and operations will be starting immediately. The binder is already going on one or two farms in the southern part of the county.

SELL HOLSTEIN-FRIESIANS TO UNITED STATES BUYER

Grant D. Langdon, Cupake, N.Y., has just purchased 37 head of purebred Holstein-Friesian cattle from breeders in the counties of Victoria, Ontario and York.

He selected 28 head from Wm. J. Murphy, Lindsay, four from John W. Bowser, Newmarket and three from Marshall Ball, Lindsay, two from C. Webster, Uxbridge, and one each from D. Murphy, Lindsay, and T. Bartley, Uxbridge.

TENNIS PLAYERS LOSE TO UXBRIDGE GUESTS

Uxbridge tennis players defeated Newmarket stars on the local courts last evening. Uxbridge and Aurora play off for group honors here next Wednesday evening.

Arnold Molyneux, Newmarket, defeated Bruce Gould in A singles, B. Willis, Uxbridge, defeated N. L. Mathews in B singles.

Miss Bauleh, Uxbridge, defeated Miss Lillis Bond in the ladies' singles 6-2, 8-6. Mrs. Bob Harris and Miss Bauleh, Uxbridge, defeated Miss B. E. Lyons and Miss Alberta Simpson in the ladies' doubles.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris, Uxbridge, defeated T. B. Scott and Miss B. E. Lyons 7-5, 6-4, in the mixed doubles. Bob Harris and Bruce Gould, Uxbridge, defeated N. L. Mathews and T. B. Scott in the A doubles, 6-4, 8-4. Dr. J. G. Cock and Murray Boyd, Newmarket, defeated "Bun" Willis and partner, 8-6, 6-4, in the B doubles.

SOLDIERS' PICTURES ARE WANTED

Soldier's pictures are wanted by The Era for publication. Your co-operation will be appreciated, soldiers, in letting The Era have your picture for publication. There is no charge. All expense is borne by The Era.

Glover And Gracey Pitching Duel Ends In 4-4 Deadlock

BARRIE STAGES RALLY IN
FIFTH TO TIE GAME AND
END SCORING

GLOVER STARS

(By Barrie Examiner)

Barrie Collegians and Newmarket Redmen battled to a 4-4 tie as they clashed at Shear Park, Tuesday night, in the last scheduled home game for Barrie in the county softball association before the playoffs commence.

It was quite a southpaw pitchers' duel, Don Glover pitching for the Redmen and Ivan Gracey for the Collegians. Glover yielded eight hits, Gracey just six. Glover fanned three, walked three. Gracey fanned five, walked two. It was the first time the veteran Gracey, manager of the Barrie nine started a game this season, although he had relieved in one.

After having Harry Couse start 13 straight games, Gracey decided to give the big blond chucker from Cookstown a rest to keep his arm fresh for the playoffs. Couse eventually got in the game as a pinch hitter and right fielder in the fifth.

In the fourth it looked as if Gracey was done and Couse would have to go to work on the mound. Burly Arnold Tomblinson first up, smashed a long homer to right. Herbie Cain and Bill Bulmer followed with two-

SOLDIERS' LETTERS WANTED

The Era would appreciate receiving for publication letters from soldiers abroad.

baggies. Taylor muffed Gibney's high fly behind second. Peters went out but Hilton's infield tap scored Gibney with the fourth run. Burkholder singled but from then on Gracey tightened up and retired the side. Newmarket got all their runs in that stanza.

In the first three frames Gracey allowed just one hit, similarly in the last three, and in those six innings was not very close to being scored on. It was a nice pitching effort and he deserved a victory for his first start.

Earl Marshall and Harold Laking had two hits each for Barrie. Barrie scored two in the second on singles by Laking and Coulson, plus a walk to Goring.

In the fifth, down two runs, Barrie staged a determined rally which tied the count but fell just short of victory. Couse, batting for Taylor, walked. There followed hits by Marshall and Gracey, plus a double by Steve Hines. Two runs came in. Two were left on bases when Hilton made a beautiful stop and throw to nail Laking's hard smash to short. That saved the game then and there for Glover and his Redmen.

Queen's York Rangers Stop Recruiting, Camp Monday

NEWMARKET BANDSMEN JOIN REGIMENTAL BUGLE BAND

Queen's York Rangers have stopped recruiting, having reached 750 enlisted. In the nature of an experiment, "C" company has two rural and one urban platoon.

Half a dozen Newmarket boys, trained with the R. S. A. bugle band, are now in the regimental bugle band, according to Capt. D. O. Mungovan, Newmarket.

Because of the number, boys who are not able to go to camp will have to be struck off strength.

There will be a parade this Friday night. The regiment goes to Niagara camp on Monday morning.

Over 30 Newmarket boys and half a dozen former Newmarket boys have joined the unit. Dr. J. G. Cock, Newmarket, helped to examine the recruits.

YORK SIMCOE SOFT-BALL LEAGUE STANDING (as of July 24)

	P	W	L	T	P.
Newmarket	15	9	4	2	20
Barrie	14	9	4	1	19
Richmond Hill	14	8	4	2	18
Aurora	15	8	6	1	17

Games to Play: Barrie at Newmarket, Aurora at Richmond Hill, tonight; postponed game, Barrie at Richmond Hill next Tuesday.

OMITTED FROM LAST

In the list of merchants where numbers may be secured for the lucky draw for the ten 20-lb. bags of sugar, the name of Patterson's Drug store was omitted.

The draw will be made from the balcony of the King George hotel at 11 p.m. on Saturday night, August 3.

LITTLE GIRL HAS SUCCESSFUL OPERATION

Eight-year-old Mardi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Marshall, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Marshall, was brought to Newmarket this week from Perron, P. Q., for an appendix operation. She is getting along nicely following the operation.

RETURNS EAST

Rev. and Mrs. R. R. McMath have returned from the west and are now at Bobcaygeon, Ont., where it is hoped that Mr. McMath's health will take a turn for the better.

TEMPERATURE SOARS

Hot weather has marked this week, relieved by a heavy rain-storm Thursday morning.

GENEROUS PRAISE BY PASTOR APPRECIATED

Renewing his subscription this week, Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle, the pastor of St. John's Roman Catholic church, was kind enough to make the comment: "The Newmarket Era is the best paper of any town that I have ever had the pleasure of reading. I read it every week."

The Era appreciates the generous praise of Dr. Muckle, and promises to strive for continual improvement so that it may be a credit to Newmarket and northern York.

STEDMAN'S OPENING PROVES BIG SUCCESS

Stedman's 5c to \$1 store had a successful opening last weekend. The store, under the management of Douglas Earle, was thronged with customers on Saturday. Fourteen Newmarket girls looked after the public's requirements.

The store will have a minimum sales staff of four girls all the time, with extra girls for Wednesday mornings, Saturdays and rush periods. The store has been attractively remodelled, and with a large variety of merchandise presents an inviting appearance to the public.

FARMER REPORTS HUGE TRIPLE-YOLKED EGG

Here is one for Andy Clarke. Roy Carr of Mount Albert has a hen that laid an egg which measured 6 1/2 by 8 1/2 inches in size and contained three yolks as large as ordinary-sized yolks. The hen that laid it is a cross between a Plymouth Rock and New Hampshire Red and is exceptionally large. Who can beat this?

A.Y.P.A. "SHOWERS" MISS NORMA ARMSTRONG

The A.Y.P.A. of St. Paul's church gave a miscellaneous shower in the parish hall on Friday evening in honor of Miss Norma Armstrong of Kettleby, a bride-to-be of early August. The bride-to-be was the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts.

A pleasant evening ended with a sing-song and luncheon.

Era printing is attractive.

Beat Them When It Doesn't Count, Tie 'Em When It Does

LOIS MANNING'S HOMER BRINGS HOME FOUR RUNS

Newmarket girls defeated Unionville at Aurora on Tuesday evening 7-6 in an exhibition game and tied the same team last evening at Unionville 10-10 in a league fixture.

The end of the seventh inning found the two teams tied 10-10 last night, and it was decided to play an extra inning. Newmarket went to bat first, and scored two runs, only to have the umpire call the game for darkness without letting Unionville go to bat.

Alex. Webster lost another argument with the umpire. He has been doing it for over 20 years. With one run in the first inning and one in the third, Newmarket went into the fourth inning two runs behind. Unionville had garnered three in the first and one in the third.

Webster's girls fitted the bases and then Lois Manning picked up the hickory stick. What a hit! Lois hit the ball over the fielders' heads for a home run. Newmarket got five runs in this inning. Unionville came back with three runs, to tie the score, and one in the fifth and one in the sixth. Newmarket did not score.

Three runs in the seventh gave Newmarket the lead, but the southerners scored one in their half to tie the score at 10-10. Newmarket lacked Mary Osborne at third. She was ably replaced by second-string pitcher Ray Chan.

Brown was put in to hit for Raymond in the first of the seventh. She singled, driving in a run, and later bringing in the tying run herself.

Newmarket's players were Beckett 2b, Doane 1b, Andrews c, Manning cf, McCannan p, Chan 3b, Hisey rf, Phil Osborne ss, Mary Raymond lf.

On Tuesday evening the girls overcame a four-run start in the first inning by Unionville to win by a 7-6 score. Chan and Watson were the battery, against Miller and Vasil for Unionville. The next game is next Wednesday at Agincourt.



IS WITH IRISH

Tom Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burke, Newmarket, has joined the Irish Regiment. He is a drummer in the regimental band, and also does some boxing, having "cleaned up" on his own regiment and is now ready to take on a couple of bouts with the air force men.

Photo by Budd

TWO BROTHERS ARE NOW HORS DE COMBAT

Misfortune hit twice at the Walter Rose farm on the fourth concession of East Gwillimbury last week.

Trying to stop a team of horses running away with a half-loaded rack of hay, Walter Rose was trampled on, suffering head and back injuries and a broken ankle. His brother, Carl Rose, Newmarket, out to help out his brother, while handling a team of horses, tripped and sprained his ankle.

The two brothers were similarly incapacitated in two almost simultaneous accidents 12 years ago.

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BURMA ROAD

Closing by Britain of the "Burma road" for war supplies to China may be another Munich, it has been suggested. That does not clearly condemn or endorse, for Chamberlain's Munich agreement some think was wise and some think was foolish. We believe that Mr. Churchill used the word "misgiving" in announcing the agreement reached with Japan for cutting off China's arm supplies for three months. There is no doubt but that the British government had a particularly unpleasant dilemma to resolve.

On the one hand, if Britain refused to cut off the supply of arms to China, there was the possibility of Japan embarrassing even further British residents in China, attacking British-held Hong-Kong and possibly entering the war against Britain. It was also said that Australia influenced the decision in favor of concessions to Japan.

On the other hand, if Britain acceded to Japanese demands that the Burma road should be blocked it was said that Britain was breaking treaty obligations to China. There was the possibility of incurring ill-will in the United States. Britain would be clearly helping an aggressor, just as ruthless in China as the aggressor which Britain was fighting in Europe. More than that, yielding to Japanese demands would probably be interpreted as weakness on the part of Britain. As a result Japan would probably prepare new demands, and then Britain might lack the help of China in resisting them. Probably Japan would be able to force a settlement of the war with China and then she would be ready for a new adventure.

Yes, it was the Munich dilemma all over again. Mr. Churchill, with whom probably rested the final decision, showed by his action that he approved what Mr. Chamberlain had done at Munich. Britain again apparently breaks treaty obligations, but she does it reluctantly. Facing "total" war, and an aggressor that respects no obligations or agreements whatever, Britain is forced to seek friendship with aggressor Russia and to yield to the demands of ruthless aggressor Japan.

Canadians and Americans cannot throw stones, for we are busy shipping, for the sake of a few dollars, nickel and iron to Japan to destroy the helpless Chinese people, just as we supplied nickel and iron to Germany and Italy while they were preparing for war against us.

In the British decision in the far east there is too, we suspect, the thought that Britain built her empire by force of arms in an earlier day and that if the age of empires is not over possibly others have the right to build them too. The determining thought, however, must be that when the Allies have brought Germany to earth they will be strong enough to usher in a new and better attempt at world government which will put at an end forever the military or naval domination of any one country, with its fearful cost to dominators and dominated. In other words, if Britain and her allies defeat Germany, totalitarianism will become out of date in the far east too as well as Europe.

LOOKING FOR SIGNS

If we had had the foresight to have a look at the oats last year, to make sure that there was no "B" on the leaves, we would be rushing out this year to find the letter which so many have now proclaimed. Lacking a 1939 background, however, as a connoisseur of oats (a Scotch-traditioned mother did rear the present writer on oatmeal porridge, and bought her oatmeal by the barrel too!) in the field, there would not be much point in our investigating this year's oat fields. As it is, we can't help suspecting that what is to be found on the oat leaves this year might also have been found last year.

We had an interesting experience last weekend. Returning home from Lake Scugog, and being in the neighborhood of Port Perry, we passed an Indian and his wife on the road and stopped to chat with them. They were on their way to an oat field to see if they could find "B.V." on the leaves. They did not know whether the letters stood for "British Victory" or "Blessed Virgin," they told us. Incidentally, the Indian, learning that we were Newmarket people, asked if we knew the family of the late George Peppiat. The Indian, Johnson Potash, by name, had served overseas with him during the last war.

The Georgetown Herald has quite a story on this subject of victory omens—in fact, two of them. The first concerns a patriotic hen who not only cackles but does something to cackle about. "Newspapers throughout Canada have been filled with items about farmers finding the letter 'B' on their oats. Last week we told you of one who found 'B V' plainly evident. Now we hear of Jacob Sittler, of St. Jacobs, who found a hen's egg with a perfect raised capital 'B' on the shell."

The second story purports to do some debunking. "Lemuel McGuck, Herald correspondent at Neplustula in Nonpareil township, has sent us a signed story claiming to have discovered two fields of oats which do not have letter 'B' on leaf. McGuck says he is now on the trail of a field of barley which has not letters V or W on leaves."

"Inasmuch as this is the correspondent who brought down considerable censure on local heads a few years ago, by reporting the presence of an Oogugestapo (or whatever it was) in Factory Creek, we hesitate to endorse the recent dispatch. We are having the facts investigated and hope to have the correct version (one way or the other) next week."

There you are. You may take the Latin

version, or you may wait a week for the Georgetown editor to give either the Oogu or Gestapo version.

If any of our readers should find the letters "B. V. D." on their grain leaves, we should regard that as news, prophetic of what Hitler is likely to have left by the time this war is over. Please bring the leaves to our office.

CONSCRIPTION OF INDUSTRY?

"It's the poor what 'elps the poor!" The town of Midland, until recently a bankrupt municipality, has offered to help out the poor old dominion government (budgeting this year for a deficit of \$800,000,000) by housing in Midland tourist camps 500 men at little or no cost to the government. Such a spontaneous offer makes it evident that there is a generous admixture of patriotism in Midland's plea for the use of idle shipyards and industrial plants for war purposes.

Incidentally, isn't it scandalous that there should be idle premises, used for the manufacture of munitions in the last war, while the government is spending money like water to build new plants, not so far away, in the wide open spaces, where it is also necessary to build houses for the prospective employees? Carpenters are receiving as high as \$12 and even \$13 a day to work on one of these projects, we are informed. Of course, for all we know to the contrary, the wage rate may be a mere 90 cents an hour, and the high wage the result of working a farmer's day. But that reminds us that our farmers aren't receiving \$12 a day, and our soldiers, who too sometimes work 16 hours a day, hardly make that much, even when one adds to the \$1.30 a day an allowance for board and clothing and money paid to dependents. We can't believe that using the existing plants would not be more economical than building new plants and new towns. What was the use of the mobilization of resources bill, if it can't be used to conscript or expropriate the premises of a private individual who, it is said, can't be bothered with a small-potato war contract?

POLITICIANS AND THEIR CRITICS

Sometimes newspaper editors draw generously from the columns of their contemporaries when setting forth their journal's reaction to the world of men and things. Sometimes an editorial is reprinted without credit given to the original writer. Sometimes an editorial is re-written. It may be re-written recognizably or beyond recognition. We know of a rather sensible arrangement between the editor of a Peel county newspaper and the editor of a Durham county newspaper whereby either may use holus-bolus, without acknowledgement and without offence, an editorial from the other's columns. When similar editorials appear simultaneously in two newspapers however, that is more interesting.

Last week we were feeling rather fed up with Mr. Mackenzie King, whose virtues we have often pointed out, and we sat down and told our readers all about it. As editor of a weekly newspaper, you know, the editor can sit down and write honestly what he thinks, and when he writes about Mr. King, who is not one of his subscribers, he may be reasonably sure that Mr. King will not have the embarrassment of reading the article of praise or censure. That is not to say that a clipping-service and a secretary do not keep Mr. King reasonably well informed as to how the editorial score throughout the country goes for or against him. Mr. King does keep in touch with public opinion. Perhaps that is Mr. Brockington's \$13,000 job, keeping Mr. King's ear to the ground. More we think of it, the more we think we may be right. When we were in Ottawa in the spring with a group of weekly editors, we sat in at a conference with Mr. Brockington when he quizzed various members of our group as to public opinion throughout the country on one or two war topics.

Let's get back. We wrote an editorial about Mr. King last week. A remarkably similar editorial appeared in another independent weekly the same week. Both this weekly and the other weekly, the Bowmanville Statesman, used to be Liberal party organs with a capital L. The editor of the Bowmanville Statesman was in a rather peculiar position in the last election. In spite of the Liberal traditions of his newspaper, and Liberal forbears, he felt that national government was the right idea and that, cost what it might, he should put his newspaper behind it. He did, but his wife was president of the local women's Liberal organization and she worked as hard for the Liberals as the editor worked for the Manionites, with the result that the Liberals won. The morning after the election sympathetic friends placed trepe on the Statesman's office door.

HEAD WAITER

Editor George James of the Canadian Statesman, Bowmanville, tells of an "embarrassing" encounter a few years ago with "the popular and brilliant young premier of the bluenose province." Angus L. Macdonald, now Canada's minister of naval defence. At a banquet at the Nova Scotia hotel, in Halifax, Mr. James approached Mr. Macdonald "thinking he was the head waiter." "An apology was unnecessary, as the good-natured premier enjoyed the mistake in identity."

The editor of The Era recalls with pleasure an occasion when Mr. Macdonald really was the head waiter. It was at Mr. Macdonald's home in Halifax when he entertained for afternoon tea, as was his annual custom, the graduating class in law at Dalhousie University away back in 1928. For three years the writer of these columns sat daily under Mr. Macdonald, who was one of three full-time teachers on the staff of the school. Another of the three teachers of that time was John E. Read, the dean, a brilliant student of the law, who for a good many years has been legal adviser to the department of external affairs at Ottawa but whose name, as a consequence of the nature of his duties, is seldom seen in the press. If we remember aright, we did see his name mentioned in connection with the "Tin Alone" case of some few years ago. The third teacher of that day is now head of a department in a large western United States law school.

Thus do one's teachers make good. From one form of public service, teaching, they go to another public service. They are waiters, if you like, and "head waiter" isn't a bad description of a premier, Mr. Editor of the Canadian Statesman!

The Common Round

HOMESICKNESS

By Isabel Inglis Colville

I was listening this morning to a male quartet singing "The Hills of Home," which tells of a prairie homemaker, sick for the sight of the hills she had once known, and I began to wonder just what induced, homesickness in people, apart altogether from the human associations.

In songs and books it is nearly always mountains and the sea or rivers, which seem to induce an almost unbearable longing in those separated from them.

There are times, after rain, when a fresh brisk breeze is blowing, that I shut my eyes and see again the great swift flood of the St. Lawrence, and such a feeling of longing comes over me, that it amounts almost to physical pain; and the strange thing about such a longing is that it doesn't lessen, but rather increases with time. A river is so satisfying; over its blue-green, white tipped waves, sail the great ships of commerce, loaded with wheat and lumber, and all sorts of cargoes, bound for ports near and far, and the men "who go down to the sea in ships" seem to be in a class by themselves. They are like riders of a bucking horse, for they never know what their undulating highway has in store for them, and whether sailing beneath sun or moon on placid waters, or climbing the crest of tall seas, or even navigating a tiresome canal, they must always be on guard, for they serve an unpredictable mistress.

And yet, in spite of danger and ennu, and hardships, it seems that "once a sailor, always a sailor," is true of the great majority of seamen, and we, to whom even the sight of the waters we love, is like a tonic, can understand a little of the lure of the rivers and sea to those who ride them habitually.

The lure of the mountains is something of a closed book to me, because I have no mountain friends—only a bowing acquaintance with a few hills, and they never draw me—perhaps because I can't climb even a step-ladder without feeling dizzy. But mountain, lake or sea, or little stream, they all induce homesickness in those who have loved and lost them.

Listen to this—
"I am dreaming of the homeland
And the light upon the hills,
And the magic of the mountains
And the music of the hills,"

and in another song, "The little streams of Duna," or "The little hills of Duna, call me home."

And thinking of the homesickness which, I suppose, attacks each one of us, who have left surroundings we love, I have felt pangs of pity for all those, who through Herr Hitler's machinations, have been compelled to leave the homes they loved, homes where perhaps their forefathers for generations have tilled the soil and fished in the streams, or lived in some old chateau, with a storied past.

What must be the anguish of those uprooted from all safe, sane, familiar and intimate things, and plunged—many of them penniless—into a world which is steadily being divided into so many armed camps—each camp looking with jealous and fearful eyes at all suspicious eyes at all its neighbors.

In the great stronghold that is now England, think of real sections of different nations all living on that one small island; all homesick—for can a Frenchman hear the Marseillaise—that great triumphant shout of the liberated, without tears? Can a Pole listen to a Chopin nocturne or a Paderewski minuet and not weep for the days when Poland could produce music like this? Can Czechs see Oxford or Cambridge and not think of the fate of their universities and those who taught there? Can the Dutch see the little English streams, and cottages and not think of their dykes and windmills?

There was a writer who said, "If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, my right hand forget its cunning," and many a Norwegian thinks of his mountains and fjords, or a Finn thinking of his hills and streams feels just so—the terrible homesickness for familiar things, which is confined to no person, or people or race, but which is universal.

In the present crisis this nostalgia may be a leading factor in determining the future of the nations. The longing for any certain thing, presupposes a determination to secure it, and if this be true in small things, how much more so in the things which make up our lives—our homes with those we love about us; our churches, our schools, our work and our national life—for these, men will fight and die—and eventually attain!



President Franklin D. Roosevelt accepted on Friday a third-term nomination. He is the first president in the history of the American republic to receive such a nomination.

Premier Mackenzie King last week defended the appointment of Leonard W. Brockington as recorder of Canada's war effort at a salary of \$9,000, plus \$12 per day living allowance. Mr. King said that Mr. Brockington was not acting as an historian but as a confidential adviser to himself.

The U. S. treasury is considering whether it will release to the Petain government \$2,000,000,000 in gold and credits of the French government.

Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace was selected as Democratic vice-presidential candidate as a running-mate of Mr. Roosevelt. Mr. Wallace was named by Mr. Roosevelt, and the suggestion was accepted by the convention.

Britain has agreed to close the Burma road to arms shipments to China for three months in the hope that a general settlement of the Far Eastern situation will be reached in that time. Prime Minister Churchill stated last week.

Japan's new Axis-minded premier plans to expand the Japanese empire into the south Pacific, regardless of the attitude of Britain and the United States, and will then seek the friendship of Germany and Italy, according to a Tokyo newspaper.

The Canadian parliament will prorogue about Aug. 3.

Mr. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Conservative leader in the senate, has urged again a ban on the Saturday Evening Post and the Chicago Tribune, on the ground that they are publishing anti-British and defeatist articles which Canadian publications would not be allowed to publish.

A 48-year-old Toronto widow was robbed of savings of \$2,500, which she kept in a sock around her waist because she had no confidence in banks. She was in bed when two young men came into the house and took the money from her, together with a purse containing \$85, which was around her neck.

Robert Service, poet of the Klondike, is returning to Canada after 28 years in France. His wife is a Frenchwoman.

A New York Times correspondent was assaulted and his

apartment ransacked for anti-Japanese material by Japanese soldiers in Shanghai on Saturday.

A 16-year-old girl, Frances Oxbey, won the annual Toronto police beauty contest.

The British submarine Salmon, with her youthful commander, who won distinction earlier in the war, is presumed lost.

Britain is reported to be bombing Germany more heavily than Germany is bombing Britain, but it is presumed that Germany is still pulling her punches, holding a big effort in reserve. British fighter planes are faster and better than German planes, it is said. Hitler has now said, since Britain has rejected peace offers, that the "die is cast."

Three Baltic states, Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia, have by their own request been admitted to the Soviet union. The United States refuses to recognize the change of status, referring to Russia's "predatory" activities.

Mr. Justice Nicol Jeffrey, retired Ontario supreme court justice, died last Saturday.

50 YEARS AGO

From Era file, July 23, 1920

Mr. Sanford Roche of Barrie was in town last week.

Miss Annie Cockedge is visiting at Barrie this week.

Mrs. Wm. Arncliffe, Sr., of Toronto, is visiting at Mr. Chas. Arncliffe's.

Mrs. Chas. Breckford of Toronto is visiting friends in town this week.

Miss Allen of Toronto is visiting her cousin, Mr. C. M. Hughes.

Miss Nellie Forsyth gave a very enjoyable party to young friends on Tuesday evening.

W. Muloch, Esq., M. P., and family are spending the summer at their home on Yonge St.

Mrs. Wm. Ramsey and two daughters of Parkdale are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. L. R. Bond.

Mrs. C. Whitfield and Miss Widdifield have gone to Barrie to spend a few days with friends in Barrie and at Big Bay Point.

MARRIED—At the residence of the bride's father, on Wednesday, July 14, by Rev. G. J. McKay, M.A., Daniel Tull, B.A., to Mary Emma, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Tull, Queensville.

MARRIED—At the residence of the bride's mother, July 23, by Rev. Mr. Westney, Mr. Frank M. Lundy of Pine Orchard, to Miss Dora Case of Uxbridge township.

BORN—In Newmarket, July 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hunter, a son.

BORN—In Newmarket, July 23, to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mader, a son.

BORN—On Yonge St., July 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCallum, a daughter.

25 YEARS AGO

From Era file, July 23, 1915

Mr. Geo. A. Thompson left for Muskoka on Tuesday.

Mr. Ed. Hickey of Windsor was in town on Wednesday.

Miss Helle Kierhoffer of Toronto is home for her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Helly attended a funeral at Lindsay on Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Maw has returned to the city after two weeks' vacation.

Miss Dan Lepard of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. J. H. Davey.

Mr. Roy Stark of Toronto is spending a week's vacation at his old home here.

Miss Florence Stouffer of Chicago, Ill., came home on Sunday for a visit.

Mrs. McCormick and daughter of Pembroke are visiting her mother, Mrs. W. W. Playter.

Mr. L. G. Jackson attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Brown in Toronto Saturday.

Mrs. Shierk and Master Ralph left on Thursday to spend the remainder of the summer at Opeka-ton.

Mr. Sam Granger had the misfortune to lose the end of one of his fingers while running a saw at Cane's factory.

MARRIED—At the manse, Newmarket, by Rev. H. F. Thomas, on July 21, 1915, Francis Stewart Sheridan of Whitechurch to Miss Sadie Frances Fry, daughter of Mrs. John Fry of the 3rd concession of Whitechurch.

MARRIED—At the residence of the bride's step-father, Mr. Thos. Coddin, by Rev. H. F. Thomas, on July 15, 1915, Allan L. (John) Ganton, Gorham St., to Miss Florence Agnes, daughter of the late David Andrews of Newmarket.

BORN—At Camrose, Alberta, on July 13, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie R. Jackson, a daughter, and granddaughter to the editor of The Era.

BORN—In Newmarket, on Sunday, July 13, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. James Barker, a daughter.

MAPLE HILL
FARMER BADLY HURT,
TEAM RUNS OVER HIM

On Sunday evening the pastor spoke from Zech. 3: 1-5, particularly the third verse, "Joshua was clothed with filthy garments, and stood before the angel."

Young People's this Wednesday evening will be a special occasion, when a number of young people from Toronto will be present with special music and singing and a special speaker.

Prayer meeting is on Thursday evening.

The picnic last Thursday was a great success.

Walter Rose suffered a serious accident last week when his team ran away. He tried to stop them, but they ran over him, breaking his leg in two places, and inflicting other injuries. He was taken to York county hospital, but friends are pleased to hear he is home now and doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Allan of Toronto visited her sister, Mrs. R. Knights, on

Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Money of Toronto are holidaying at the home of Mr. Irvine Rose.

Mrs. A. Knights is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. Smith, in Toronto.



MRS. SONGSPARROW IS HORRIFIED

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"It's warmish," sighed Hattie Nuthatch to her friend, Mrs. Woody Woodpecker. "Still, I always say that we birds should be thankful that our blood heat is higher than the humans' and so we don't feel the hot weather as much."

"Yes, and some of the birds seem to enjoy the warmth," Mrs. Pecker replied. "Just listen to that Robin carolling for all he's worth and it's the middle of the afternoon, too. That makes me think that perhaps we'll have some more rain."

"The birds are certainly beginning to quiet down in their singing, though, now that midsummer is here," said Hattie. "I was out in the woods this morning and it was really very quiet. By August nearly everyone will be silent, I suppose."

"Did you see all the birds flying in big flocks last evening?" asked Mrs. Pecker. "They must have been flocks of different kinds of blackbirds. It does seem early to be thinking about migrating, but of course they won't be really getting ready to go for some time yet. The Swallows are beginning to gather in the marshes now, too."

"Oh me, oh my, it makes me feel old when I realize that this is the last half of July again, and the children are quite grown up," mused Hattie.

"Hello, ladies," another voice broke in just then, and a little Songsparrow lady alighted on a bush nearby.

"Why, you look rather ruffled," Mrs. Songsparrow said. Hattie kindly. "Has something happened?"

"No, but I got rather a fright," replied the Sparrow. "One of my young ones, was apparently right beside a Sparrow Hawk just now, and didn't even know who it was and was therefore taking absolutely no precautions—in fact, just sat near him for some time. I was horrified when I heard."

"Gracious goodness, and didn't the Hawk show any interest?" asked Mrs. Pecker.

"No, for the youngster finally decided to move away from there and then he came and told me about the funny bird he had seen," declared Mrs. Songsparrow shakily. "Just imagine! My poor innocent child!"

"What makes you think it was

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a Sparrow Hawk?" asked Hattie. "Because of the description he gave me," replied the Sparrow. "He said it was about the size of Rob Robin and was very pretty, with slate gray, buff and tan coloring, graceful, and with a small hawk-like beak and sharp claws, and long tail. It just couldn't have been anyone else. It still gives me a turn when I think of it."

"Don't let it worry you too much," advised Mrs. Woody. "I heard that shrill, high-pitched cry of his just yesterday, so I don't doubt for a minute that the little Songsparrow heard him. Besides, the Sparrow Hawk is so much smaller than the other Hawks that he is easily identifiable."

"Mercy, why wouldn't she worry then?" asked Hattie. "Any mother would."

"I was just getting to that," Mrs. Woody said patiently. "While it's true that the Sparrow Hawks do eat a certain number of small birds, still, they would be more correctly called Grasshopper Hawks, fortunately for us birds, as insects form a large part of their diet. Especially in the summer, when insects are very plentiful, they don't kill many small birds or mice. I understand that they kill birds when necessity demands only, not because they prefer them. And they eat so many insects that they are very valuable to the farmer."

"That's a comforting thought, but I still don't trust them," Mrs. Sparrow said. "I hope that Hawk finds an abundance of Grasshoppers this summer, if it likes them so much, though, and leaves the birds strictly alone."

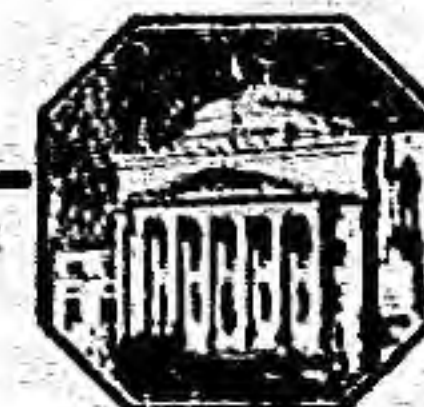
"We all do," echoed the little Nuthatch fervently.

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POLICE COURT

DRIVER DRINKING, NOT
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Charged with careless driving on Yonge St., Leslie Whyte, Port Carling, was fined \$25 and costs by Magistrate J. C. M. German in Newmarket police court on Tuesday.



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S. J. BOYD, MAYOR

Constable Alex. Ferguson stated that he had followed Whyte's car a mile into Aurora. On two different occasions the accused drove over the white line in the centre of the road, crowding cars coming in the opposite direction. Constable Ferguson stated, He said that Whyte was not intoxicated, although he had been drinking previously and admitted being sleepy. After an hour's delay in Aurora, to get a lunch, Whyte was in fit condition to drive again, the constable said.

John Campbell, Toronto, was fined \$3 and costs for failure to produce a commercial operator's license.

Cawthra Brown, Newmarket, charged with failing to produce a commercial operator's license, was also fined \$3 and costs.

Mr. Brown, in his own defence, stated that his son had been driving at the time the charge was laid. He himself had a cold and had asked his son to drive but had neglected to give him the license.

"He should have had a license," Magistrate German commented. "The law says he must have a permit, and he must obey the law."

Charles Cooper, Claremont, owner of a commercial vehicle loaded with lumber 4,500 lbs. in excess of the 10,000 lbs. allowed by his license, was fined \$20 and costs. Cooper, in his own defence, said that his truck driver, who is accustomed to haul basswood to the Tottenham mill for him, did not realize that the green oak was so heavy.

William Collins, Toronto, pleaded guilty to a charge of careless driving and was fined \$3 and costs. Constable Joseph Jardine stated that he saw Collins driving through Queensville, in "considerable" traffic, with three people in the front seat of the car and two sitting on the doors.

"A jolt would cause a very bad accident," he said. "I wouldn't give the driver of another car a chance."

Jack Porter, Toronto, charged with a similar offence was fined \$5 and costs. Constable Archie Shadwick testified that he saw Porter driving on the Lake Shore Road with three men in the front seat of his car, five in the back and one lying on the running board. He said that traffic was very heavy.

Because he failed to remain at the scene of an accident at Willow Beach Sidney Fox, Toronto, was fined \$10 and costs. Fox, who has a temporary instruction permit, stated that the traffic had been heavy and the lights from the cars blinded him.

He said that he had stopped about 300 yards from the accident but did not see the other car involved in the accident stop and so he drove on. He agreed to pay for damages done to the other car.

A charge of careless driving against E. Osborne, Toronto, which arose out of an accident on No. 11 highway near Holland Landing was dismissed in local police court, the case to be disposed of by civil court. Magistrate German stated that he was not satisfied that the evidence given was conclusive.

Martha King, Toronto, driver of the second car involved in the accident, testified that she had just driven through Holland Landing on her way to Toronto, when at the turn of the road her car was struck by another coming in the opposite direction and

and driven by E. Osborne. She said that she had been going at about 40 miles an hour, well inside the centre mark on the road. At the time of the accident a baby asleep on the back seat of her car was thrown on the floor, she said.

Provincial Constable Alex. Ferguson, who examined the marks on the road after the accident, said that the skid marks, oil and mud showed definitely that Osborne's car had cut out to hit that of Mrs. King. Although Mrs. King testified that she was going at 40 miles an hour on the curve, he doubted it. At the time of the accident she said she was going 25 miles an hour, he testified.

Osborne, in his own defence, stated that he saw Mrs. King's car at about 300 feet ahead and that it "kept bearing to the left."

"I suggest that you could not see this car at 300 feet ahead," said Crown Attorney Harold Sanders.

"So do I," commented his worship.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buckworth, Toronto, passengers in the Osborne car, said that Osborne was a "very careful driver." Mrs. Buckworth testified that she saw Mrs. King's car turn in and hit the car in which they were driving. Mr. Buckworth said that he heard his wife say, "Goodness, she is going to hit us."

POLICE COURT

MAGISTRATE HAS 73 SPEEDING CHARGES

Seventy-three cases, most of which were for speeding, were presented before Magistrate J. C. M. German in police court here on Tuesday. Some of the charges were adjourned until a later date.

Constable Fisher Dunham had seven convictions: Central Wholesale Co., Toronto, 45 m.p.h., \$8 and costs; Stephens Canada Ltd., Toronto, 45 m.p.h., \$6 and costs; Edwards and Angus Co., Toronto, 43 m.p.h., \$8 and costs; Henry Drury, Toronto, over 40 m.p.h., \$8 and costs; Roy H. Curtis, Toronto, 45 m.p.h., \$8 and costs; A. C. Douglas, Newmarket, 45 m.p.h., \$8 and costs; Donald Kahn, Toronto, 50 m.p.h., \$10 and costs.

Constable Kenneth Mount, Newmarket, had five convictions, all Eagle St. cases: Maud L. Holden, Toronto, 47 m.p.h., \$8 and costs; D. Bronstein, Toronto, 45 m.p.h., \$8 and costs; Anderson McLoughlin, Toronto, 45 m.p.h., \$8 and costs; Arthur J. McGanilly, Kitchener, 45 m.p.h., \$8 and costs; M. Gravstein, Toronto, 47 m.p.h., \$8 and costs.

Constable Archie Shadwick, Georgina township, had six convictions: Donald Travis, Toronto, over 50 m.p.h., \$5 and costs; Ann Le Pelley, Toronto, 60 m.p.h., \$5 and costs; John K. Dickson, Toronto, over 50 m.p.h., \$5 and costs; James Little, Georgetown, over 50 m.p.h., \$5 and costs; Mable Hussey, Toronto, over 50 m.p.h., \$5 and costs; Gerald H. Nelson, Toronto, over 50 m.p.h., \$5 and costs.

Constable Carl Morton, North Gwillimbury township, had four convictions: Christian Hanner, Newmarket, speeding, \$8 and costs; General Motors Acceptance Corp., Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs; Izzy Wilson, Toronto, 45 m.p.h., on Lake Shore Road, (speed limit 30 miles an hour), \$8 and costs; Wm. Riddy, Toronto, 45 m.p.h., \$8 and costs.

Helen E. Conway, Toronto, speeding, Prov. Con. Alex. Ferguson, \$5 and costs.

County Constable Wm. Hill, Sutton, had four convictions: James Stuart, Toronto, 64 m.p.h., in North Gwillimbury, \$9 and costs; Vernon D. Stickland, Toronto, 58 m.p.h., \$5 and costs; W. M. Beauchamp, Toronto, 60 m.p.h., \$5 and costs; Richard O'Connor, Toronto, fall to produce operator's license, \$3 and costs.

Sam Landau, Toronto, attempt to pass, Prov. Con. Ferguson, \$5 and costs.

Morley King, Roche's Point, had brakes, Con. Joseph Jardine, \$10 and costs.

Fred Finkler, King, fall to produce operator's license, Prov. Con. Ferguson, \$3 and costs.

HOPE

Mr. Ira Morton of Bogartown visited Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Stickwood on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gibson and Verne were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Micks, Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stickwood, Raymond, Mrs. O. Stickwood, Mr. M. L. Pegg, Jack, Mrs. J. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. G. Fairbairn attended a surprise party for Mrs. A. Trivet, Newmarket, in honor of her birthday on Tuesday evening of last week.

Mr. Aubrey Brennar, accompanied by Murray Tansley and Ross Stickwood, are blueberrying at Seabright.

Mrs. Percy McBride and family of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. August Gibson, Merly remaining for a week's holiday.

Messrs. Lorne, Bernard and Raymond Pegg of Mount Albert visited Mr. Jack Pegg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Raymond's children from Aurora are holidaying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kintz.

Mrs. Will Smith entertained the hobby club on Tuesday, which was well attended.

Members are asked to reserve the date, Aug. 1, for the Hope Sunday-school and W. A. picnic, to be held at Pegg's Park.

Church services will be held at the usual time, 9.45 a.m. Sunday-school is at 10.45 a.m. A good attendance is hoped for.

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(Newmarket was well represented at the recent Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association convention in Calgary. The Era was represented by Miss VanZant, and the Newmarket Express-Herald was represented by Miss Ida Owens.)

BY MARGARET VANZANT

On June 29, I started out on my first journey to the great Canadian west. We went by C.N.R. route all the way to

leave, but finally had to, and started our homeward journey, going by C.P.R. to Edmonton and then to Calgary to see the "stampede." I was rather disappointed in the "stampede." I guess I am not a westerner, so couldn't appreciate them roping little calves, throwing them to the ground and tying them up, and raking the horses with their spurs to make them buck. It might have been fun for some of the audience to watch, but my



Calgary, going by train to Sarnia, and then taking the boat from there to Port Arthur. It was also my first trip of more than a day on water, and I didn't prove to be too bad a sailor, at least, I wasn't sea-sick.

We had to stop at Lime Island, which seemed quite deserted except for a couple of houses, for emergency fuel, and then proceeded on to Sault Ste. Marie. The locks were quite interesting, but we were not supposed to take pictures of them, although I don't suppose they would have bothered us if we had, as I had my camera out, and the guard did not attempt to shoot me, although I'm sure he saw me.

We arrived at Port Arthur about two hours late, and found our train waiting for us. At Saskatoon, a number of newspaper people, who had come that far by C.P.R. joined us. The car we got on here aroused our curiosity, and we were not satisfied until we had investigated everything but the kitchen. And the cook, seeing me poke my nose in everything else, asked me if I wouldn't like to see the kitchen. I did. It was small, but convenient. They informed us it was one of the newer cars, called "one-man cars," with the berths at one end and the kitchen and dining-room at the other. It was the last thing in comfort.

For the rest of the journey, we expressed our amazement at the lack of pavement in the towns. In the west and their general appearance and the distance one could see over the rolling prairies. We also saw quite a number of gophers, which we were told later by an Alberta farmer, were a curse to the west.

We didn't see an awful lot of Calgary during the three-day Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association convention (although I will have to confess that I attended only one business session), as it rained quite a bit during our stay.

The trip out to the Turner oil fields proved very interesting, and as we neared them, we could see flares dotting the fields. These flares, we were told, were burning up excess gasoline. Our car did not go by the main road, but turned off and went a back road, to avoid the dust, and as a result we saw several things that we would have otherwise missed, two of the most interesting being the Sarcee and Blackfoot Indian reserves, and a number of wild flowers growing along the roadside would have done any garden justice, as the roadside was a mass of blooms all the way.

Saturday morning found us aboard a C.P.R. train bound for Banff. After luncheon at Banff, we wandered around the grounds, and it was far more breath-taking than we imagined it would be from looking at pictures of it. We also had a swim in Sulphur Springs. At four o'clock the same afternoon, we started for Lake Louise, and here we were speechless. It is quite different from Banff, and no picture could do Lake Louise justice, for, if it were painted just as it is, you wouldn't believe a lake could be that green until you saw it.

Leaving Sunday morning, we arrived at the Columbia icefields around noon, and nothing would do until we walked out on the snow and as a result got our feet wet. It is about 85 miles from here to Jasper Park, which again proved to be different from the above mentioned places. Here, we saw deer, bears and mountain-goats, our first close glimpse of the last two, and beaver, and none seemed to be the least bit frightened of us.

We rode in open buses from Banff to Jasper Park and saw the forest fire that had closed the road shortly after it had been opened. The Rockies were for the most part awe-inspiring.

We were rather reluctant to

sympathy went with the animals. We left Calgary for Regina, where, after a day's visit with some relatives, we caught the C.N.R. train for Port Arthur, where we caught the boat for Sarnia and then the train again for Toronto and the bus for home.

When Mr. Hebb first asked me if I would like to take this trip for The Era, I actually said I didn't think I would like to go, but I'm certainly glad he asked me the second time, else look what I would have missed.

HOLLAND LANDING

VISITS FRIENDS AFTER 26 YEARS ABSENCE

Mr. Bert Grantham of British Columbia is visiting his brother, Mr. Max Grantham of Newmarket, and was calling on old friends here on Monday evening. It is 26 years since Mr. Grantham left these parts.

Miss Jean Brown of Markham was calling on friends here on Sunday.

Miss Gladys Bellar, who underwent an appendix operation two weeks ago in York county hospital, is at home and is improving nicely.

Mrs. R. McCannan, Mr. and Mrs. R. Morning and children attended the wedding of Miss Grace Morning of Kleinburg on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Sam Fletcher and a chum of Toronto are camping here for a couple of weeks. Mr. Fletcher's friends are all glad to see him.

Mr. Bert Pearce of Fort William is at home for a short time. The camp meeting was well attended for the last ten days in the park and closed on Sunday, July 21.

Sharon

The United church picnic held at Jackson's Point on Thursday was a great success. Over 100 took advantage of the outing. Through the kindness of J. D. Murrell, free transportation was provided for all who wished to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Case and son, David, of Newmarket spent Sunday with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Parker, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Black returned Saturday to Sharon, after spending a week at Minden. Mr. and Mrs. Black and son, Jimmy, left for their home in Ottawa on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Globe of Hanover and Mr. and Mrs. Elmond Globe of Toronto visited the Collins family this week.

Miss Lois Cane of Newmarket spent Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Joyce Tate.

Mrs. J. Simpson is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fry.

Mrs. John Tate of White Rose was a welcome visitor at several homes in the village on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsay and Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Stevens of Weston visited Mr. Bruce Ramsay at Barriehill Camp near Kingston on Sunday. Bruce returned with them to spend a few days at his home here.

Miss Ruth Fairbairn of Oakville is the guest of Mrs. Fred Weddel and other friends in Sharon.

Mrs. Frank Tate and Joyce spent Thursday in Sutton with Mrs. J. D. Tate.

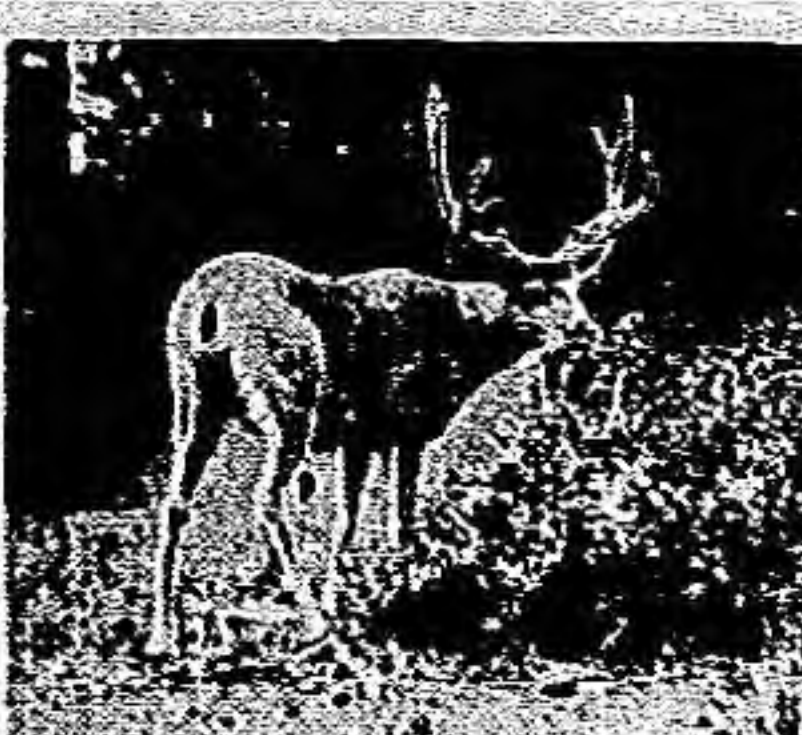
The Red Cross of East Gwillimbury will pack on Tuesday, July 30, at the hall here.

Miss Ila Haines is taking a course at summer school in Toronto.

Man to Man

Small Louis had reached the age of three and was proudly wearing his first overalls. As other members of the family looked admiringly upon him, he edged over to his mother.

"Now, can I call Daddy Bill now?" he asked beamingly.



Glenville

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaw and Dorothy Shaw spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Wray.

Mrs. Errol Gould and children spent Thursday with Miss Frances Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bunker and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bunker of Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison spent Sunday at New Toronto and Sunnyside.

Mr. John Black, Laura, Bruce and Clarence Black, and Mrs. George Anning and Shirley and other relatives motored to Bracebridge and High Falls on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Brown and Nellie, and Mrs. Alfred Lewis motored to Rosseau for the weekend.

Mrs. George Dutton and Rita spent the weekend with Mrs. Wm. Keffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. George and Mary spent Sunday at Mr. Chas. Somerville's.

The Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. F. Webster on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Duncan and family of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. H. Harris and family.

Miss Mabel Card is holidaying at the home of Mrs. Roy Keffer.

LOCAL MARKET

Butter sold at 25 cents a pound on the local market on Saturday morning. Eggs were 28 cents a dozen. Cherries were 10 cents a quart box. Young chickens brought 25 cents a pound. Asparagus was six bunches for 25 cents.

TORONTO MARKETS

Creamery solids, No. 1, brought 22½ to 23½ cents a pound and creamery prints, No. 1, 23 to 23½ cents a pound on Tuesday. Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto, for grade A large, 22 cents, A medium, 21 cents, and A pullets, 19 cents a dozen.

Prices to the shipper for poultry were: turkeys, old hens, grade A, 15 cents, geese, grade A, 14 cents, spring chickens, 3 to 4 pounds, 17 to 18 cents and ducklings, over 5 pounds, 18 cents a pound.

Veal calves sold at \$9 to \$9.25 for choice with a few at \$9.50. Butcher steers and heifers traded at \$7 to \$8.25 with a few at \$8.40. Off-truck bacon hogs brought \$9.

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Elmhurst Beach

Era printing costs little.

Miss Lillian Miller of Toronto is spending some holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner of London, Ont., visited at the home of Mrs. Jas. Clark, Jr., last Saturday.

The Elmhurst Beach Association is holding a euchre in their new dance pavilion every Wednesday evening at 8.30 and good prizes are given. There is also dancing every other evening.

Quite a number attended the camp meeting at Holland Landing last Sunday.

Man (getting a shave): Barber, will you please give me a glass of water?

Barber: "What is the matter? Something in your throat?"

Man: "No—I want to see if my neck leaks."

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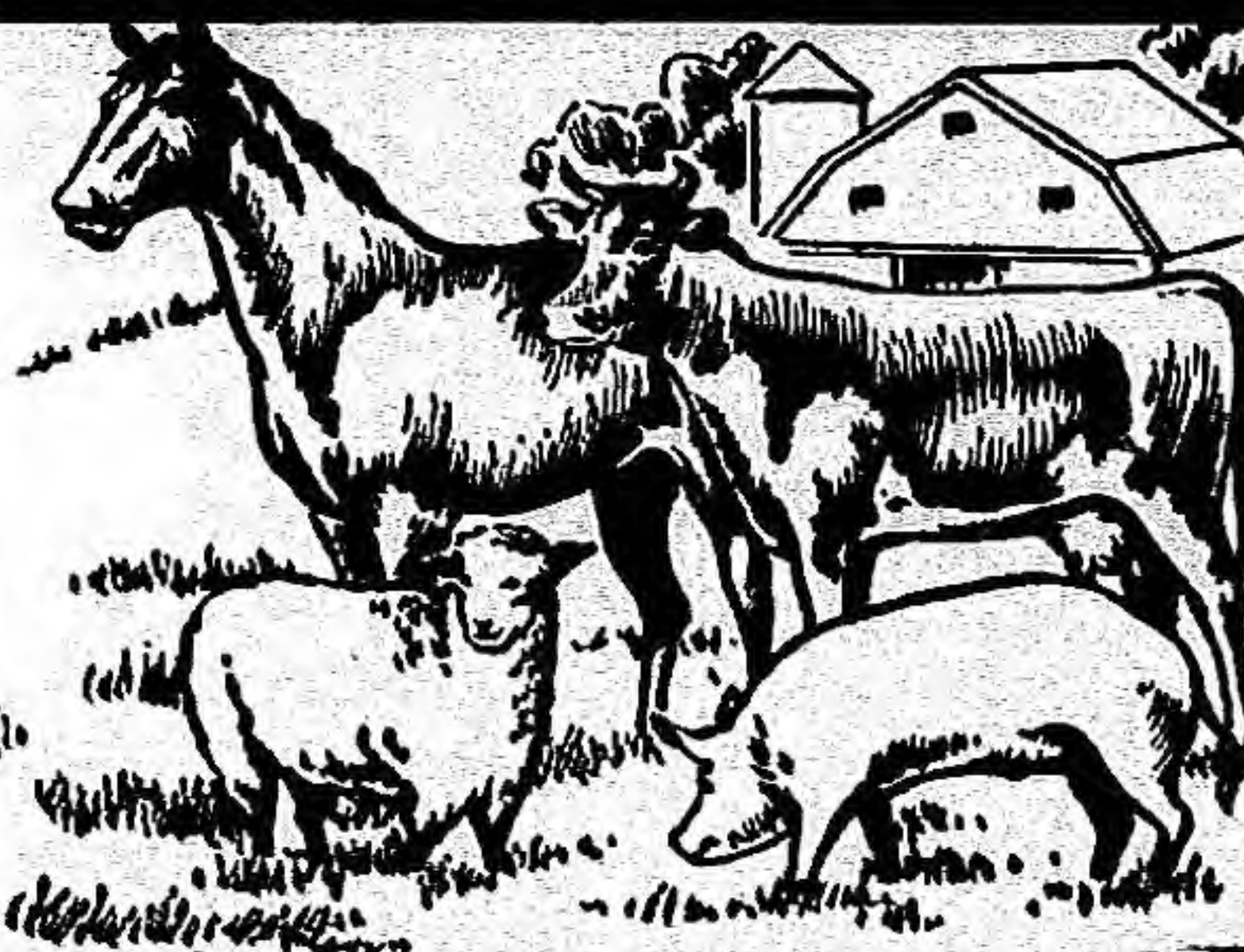
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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For sale—Desirable 12-roomed house. Excellent location. Ninety foot frontage. Deep garden lot. Every convenience. Suitable for large family or conversion into duplex. 32 Prospect Ave. Phone 401.

For sale—Chopping mill and property. Also house and lot. Inquire Wm. Mackie, Queensville. *3w24

For sale—To close the John W. Watson estate, solid red brick house on Lundy Ave. (Prospect Ave. north). 8 rooms and attic, in wonderful repair, comparatively new, thoroughly modern. Nice grounds, 2-roomed bath. New furnace. Town water, also pressure well water, pressure cistern water. Good garage, etc. Taxes approximately \$25, and for a quick sale will sell for \$2700. This is a real home and one of the good buys. E. A. Boyd, 17 Main St., exclusive agent. c1w25

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For rent—5-roomed modern apartment, with large rooms. Hot water heating. Hardwood floors. Electric stove. Apply W. R. Ewing, Huron St. Phone 109. *3w25

For rent—A six-room stucco house, with garage attached. All modern conveniences, newly decorated. Situated two miles from Newmarket on the Sharon highway, possession Aug. 1. Apply Elgin Evans, Newmarket R. R. 1, phone 297-j-2. *3w21

Farm to rent—100 acres. Apply to Mrs. James Linskill, Queensville. c2w21

WANTED TO RENT

Wanted—Three unfurnished rooms, two adults. Possession Aug. 1. Apply Era box 237. *1w25

FOR SALE

For sale—English blood beans. Cherries. E. F. Streeter, Prospect St., Newmarket. Phone 255. c2w25

For sale—Wicker carriage and baby's crib, 54 inches long. 9 Queen St. east. *3w23

For sale—Lloyd baby carriage, (cream). Excellent condition, bargain price. Apply Lockie's, B. A. Station, Pine Beach, Keswick. *1w25

For sale—Two dogs, one Collie and one Foxhound. Apply Wellington Curtis, 17 Niagara St. t125

WANTED TO BUY

Wanted to buy—Girl's second-hand bicycle. Apply Era box 235. *3w24

USED CARS

For sale—1936 Ford coupe, DeLuxe, splendid condition. Owner going to eastern Arctic. Apply Lockie's, B. A. gas station, Pine Beach, Keswick. *2w21

FARM ITEMS

For sale—11 small pigs, six weeks old. Apply to Russell Stickwood, Sharon, rear half lot 4, concession 5, East Gwillimbury. *1w25

For sale—Pigs. Eight weeks old. Apply John Maurer, R. R. 2, Newmarket, Holland Landing-Sharon road. *1w25

HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Good housekeeper. Good references required. On farm. Between 30 and 40 years of age. Apply Era box 289. *1w25

Help wanted—Woman for general housework, 30 years of age or over. Apply Mrs. J. W. Bower, Yonge St., Newmarket. *1w25

WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Experienced waitress, cook, or housework. Young girl, strong. Have references. Write Era box 286. *1w25

MISCELLANEOUS

Dog Owners—Dogs boarded by day, week or month. Clipping and washing. Prices reasonable. Basil Watson, Valcoase Kennels, opposite cemetery. Phone 672. c3w23

CLEVER TINKER

LIVES AT SHARON

Sharon has a professional tinker, who comes of a family of tinkers, a dying trade. He makes all sorts of mechanical toys and gadgets and in a few days made an intricate miniature circus out of wood, which goes into action when a crank is turned. He came to Sharon after spending a number of years in the west, where he was driven out by drought.

POLICE WILL STOP

SUNDAY TRUCKING

Toronto truckers carrying on illegal trucking of produce from the Holland Marsh on Sundays will be prosecuted under the Lord's Day Act, Chief of Police George Stuart of York County has warned.

TOWN OF NEWMARKET

SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES

TAKE NOTICE that I have prepared a list of lands for sale for arrears of taxes and that copies thereof may be had at the Town Office, 99 Main St.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the said list was published in the Ontario Gazette in the issue of June 1st, 1940.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that in default of payment of the said taxes and costs, the lands will be sold for taxes on the sixth day of September, 1940, at 10 a.m. (Daylight Saving Time), in the Council Chambers, Main St., Newmarket.

DATED at Newmarket this tenth day of May, A. D., 1940.

N. L. Mathews,
Town Treasurer. c1w19

SALE REGISTER

Thursday, Aug. 1—Auction sale of household goods and effects, the property of the late Mrs. E. H. Boyd, at 19 Timothy St., W., at 7:30 p.m., D.S.T. Terms cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. At the same time the property will be offered for sale, subject to reserve bid. c1w25

SOFTBALL PLAY-OFFS

START NEXT THURSDAY

Barrie and Newmarket softballers are scheduled to meet here tonight, weather permitting. Barrie's postponed game with Richmond Hill will be played Tuesday night in Richmond Hill. With the second schedule all finished, there will be a four-team play-off series, first and third teams, and second and fourth teams meeting in two-out-of-three game series, with the winners entering a three-out-of-five game finals, according to information from the league president, J. L. Spilllette. The first games of the play-offs will be played a week from this evening, it is expected.

BIRTHS

Howlett—At York county hospital, July 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howlett, R.R.1, Aurora, a son. *3w21

DEATHS

Bambridge—At York county hospital, on Tuesday, July 23, John Bambridge, husband of Lillian Hodge in his 55th year.

Gillies—On Sunday, July 21, at her home, 91 John St., Weston, Laura Isabella McCallum, wife of the late Robert C. Gillies, in her 63th year, formerly of King.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday, Interment King City cemetery.

Lovett—At Cobourg on Wednesday, July 17, George Lovett, husband of Alice Walder, and father of Percy Lovett, in his 71st year.

The funeral service was held on Saturday, Interment Mount Pleasant cemetery.

McMillan—On Wednesday, July 10, William Walter McMillan, at his home, Cookstown, husband of Clara Sherman.

The funeral service was held on Friday, July 12, at his late residence, Interment Aurora cemetery.

Pemberton—At Newmarket, on Saturday, July 20, Dora Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Pemberton, in her 15th year.

The funeral service was held at the Salvation Army Hall, on Monday, Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Sanford—At Newmarket, on Tuesday, July 23, Ida Myrtle Lustie, wife of George Sanford, in her 49th year.

The funeral service was held from the chapel of Rodhouse and Rose this afternoon, Interment Aurora cemetery.

Smelser—At Bradford, on Tuesday, July 23, Norman Alexander, elder son of Mrs. Smelser and the late F. A. Smelser.

The funeral service will be held at the family home, Bradford, on Friday, at 1:30 p.m., S. T. Interment Thornbury Union cemetery.

Travis—At Toronto, on Tuesday, July 23, Charles William, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Travis, Jr., in his 1st year.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday, Interment Newmarket cemetery.

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TWO ACCIDENTS OCCUR AT EAGLE AND YONGE CORNER

Five persons were injured when a car stopped suddenly for the stop light at the corner of Eagle and Yonge Sts., on Sunday night and three other cars, following close behind, piled into the rear of one another. William Hoyle, 53, of Hamilton was the most severely injured, having a fractured left arm and severe lacerations to his face and right arm. He was removed to York county hospital. All passengers in the car driven by Alfred Watson of Hamilton were attended by Dr. L. W. Dales.

Shortly afterwards, two more cars collided at the same spot, Mary Plews, seven, of Kapuskasing, suffering facial lacerations and Miss Grace A. Anthes, Fulton Ave., Toronto, suffering a back injury. They were attended by Dr. J. G. Cock. Provincial Traffic Officer Alex. Ferguson investigated.

MRS. LEWIS IRWIN WAS R.N., FUNERAL FRIDAY

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Lewis Irwin took place on Friday afternoon, with interment at Queensville cemetery.

Rev. Arthur Greer conducted the services. Pallbearers were Roy Arnold and Peter Arnold, Queensville, Howard Fife and Wilmet Fairbairn, Sharon, William King, Keswick, and Earl Pipher, Newmarket.

Before her marriage on March 5, 1923, Mrs. Irwin was Alma L. Thompson. She was born at Zephyr Oct. 27, 1902. Her parents were the late Huldah Arnold and Kemp Thompson of Queensville.

The family moved to Queensville when she was a small child, and she went to school there. She became a registered nurse, graduating from Victoria Memorial hospital, Toronto. She practised her profession in Toronto, Newmarket and Detroit, where she was on the city board of health staff for a time. It was in Detroit that she met her husband. Following their marriage, they lived in Detroit until 1933, and then moved to Stratford, Ont., and subsequently to Toronto.

Five years ago Mr. and Mrs. Irwin moved to Newmarket, where for the last two and a half years Mr. Irwin has been the rural mailman for R. R. 1, Newmarket.

Besides her husband, one brother and three sisters are left: Sidney Thompson, Queensville, Mrs. Harvey McCordick (Able), Newmarket, Miss Laura Thompson, Toronto, and Mrs. Kenneth Pratt (Marie), Pickering.

Survivors also Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Robinson of Toronto, who spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Robinson.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Mrs. Hugh Byrne of Temiskaming, accompanied by her two daughters, Beulah (Mrs. Henry Baile) and Shirley, and Mr. Baile and two small daughters, arrived at the home of Mrs. Byrne's mother, Mrs. E. Rose, Millard Ave., on Sunday evening. After a short visit to Mrs. Byrne and Miss Byrne, Merriton, they will visit in Newmarket for the remainder of the month.

—Pie D. May of the 48th Highlanders stationed at Camp Borden spent the weekend with his family in town.

—Dr. and Mrs. Andrew Hood of St. James' Presbyterian church, Toronto, were visitors at the Presbyterian manse on Thursday afternoon.

—Rev. and Mrs. Wm. McKeown of Melford, Saskatchewan, were callers at the Presbyterian manse last week.

—Next Sunday, July 28, will be the occasion of the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Collins, who are now residing in Toronto.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alex. MacKay of Kerrwood spent the weekend with friends in Newmarket.

—Mrs. Samuel Sloss and Mrs. Arnold Hurst and daughter, Marilyn, of Aurora were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sloss.

—Adjutant and Mrs. S. G. Boulton of Mount Dennis, formerly of Newmarket, attended the funeral service of Miss Dora Pemberton on Monday.

—Miss Dora Doane is spending her vacation at Hollywood Lodge, Lake Simcoe.

—Mrs. R. J. Gallagher of Barrie has returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. F. H. Robinson, for a week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Dolan, Mr. Campbell Dolan and Miss Margaret Manley of Toronto were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. N. Yawman.

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WEEK END SPECIALS

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DEFEAT AURORA 3-1 IN CLOSELY FOUGHT GAME

With Wes. Niles pitching his best game of the season, Newmarket Redmen took their old rivals from Aurora 3-1 last Thursday, thereby slipping into a tie with the boys from the southern town and topping them from the top spot in Joe Spilllette's circuit, as Barrie took Richmond Hill the same evening.

Niles was master of the situation throughout and pitched four-hit ball, yielding only two walks and striking out seven. Two important strikeouts occurred in the last inning as Manager Simmons of Aurora sent in Ray White and Harry Rouse to pinch-hit, and both went down without smacking the apple. Shore, on the Aurora hill-top, also pitched good ball, but his support wavered a wee bit and the old Newmarket jinx continued for the Kitchley schoolmaster. He gave up six hits, walked one and struck out four.

Bob Peters led the Newmarket attack with two hits. Cain, Luck, Trivett and VanZant getting the others. The rubber's big inning came in the fourth when they bunched three hits and Aurora made two errors for a total of three runs. Michaeluk was the star of the Aurora squad getting a single at bat, but scintillating in the field, particularly in the third inning when he took three hard chances in a row to get the runners at first base. Pattenen making his first appearance against Newmarket made a beautiful catch of what looked like a sure-fire homer from the bat of Herb. Cain in the first inning. He also got one of Aurora's four bingles.

Pleading to the Newmarket crowd was the display of ginger and dash on the bases for which the Redmen are famed around the circuit. Some of the fielding, however, in the infield was a little ragged. Aurora is a vastly improved club and liable to break loose at any time.

In the opener, Henney went out, Trivett to Peters, Pattenen fanned, and McKenzie grounded to Luck. Luck walked in the Newmarket half but was forced at second by Hilton. Cain belted one to deep right field, which Pattenen took on the dead run. Trivett went down, short to first.

Michaeluk walked to start the second, but Will. White hit into a double play, Luck to Hilton to Peters. Shore walked, Birchard went out second to first. Gibney went down swinging, Peters got a hit as Birchard misjudged his high fly, but died at second as Bulmer forced him. VanZant fled to Hilton.

Hilton pegged out Hodgins as the third came up. Holman struck out, Henney and Pattenen hit in succession but were left stranded as Niles cut down McKenzie. Then came Michaeluk's fielding feat. He took Niles' bunt in front of Shore, and leaped high in the air to spear bouncers from Luck and Hilton and retire all three at first.

Trivett got two poppers in a row in the fourth frame from Michaeluk and White, while Shore was another of Niles' victims. Newmarket now had their big try. Cain dropped a hit over first base and took second on a wild heave. Trivett struck out, Gibney hit to Hodgins, who made an error, Cain scoring and Gibney going to second. Peters doubled, scoring Gibney. Bulmer struck out, VanZant drove home Peters, and Niles popped to Hodgins to end the inning.

Birchard got on in the fifth as Peters fooled the ball. Cluhine, batting for Hodgins, forced him at second. Cluhine took second on a passed ball and Holman hit through shortstop to score Cluhine, and take second himself. An overthrow at second base sent him on to third. Henney fled to Hilton. Pattenen went out, short to first, and the Aurora rally was ended. Luck doubled to open the Newmarket portion and took third as Hilton went down swinging. Cain went out to McKenzie and Luck was the final out on a close play at the plate.

It was a nice play. Trivett got McKenzie at first. Michaeluk singled sharply through second. White hit to Luck, who made the play for Michaeluk, who was safe at second, but over-ran the bag and Hilton tagged him. Shore again struck out to end the first of the sixth.

Trivett singled and got around to third on over-throws, but was stranded there, as Gibney fanned. Shore pegged out Peters, and Birchard got Bulmer. In this inning, Ray White went to right field, and Pattenen moved into short for the visitors.

Herb. Cain made a nice catch of Birchard's drive to centre, Ray White whiffed and Harry Rouse batting for Holman was called out on strikes to end the game. Umpires: Hulse and Forhan.

DELPHINIUMS TOWER OVER FLOWER SHOW

With amazing delphiniums dominating the show, the annual perennial show of the Newmarket Horticultural Society took place on Saturday in Trinity United church school-room.

The Judge, Charles Topper, Richmond Hill, a commercial delphinium specialist, said that he had never seen such blooms as those exhibited by Howard Hugo, who won the sweepstake.

Mrs. Ed. Brummer won the lily sweepstake with a magnificent exhibit. Mrs. Brummer easily maintained her lead for points for the season with 13 awards (most of them firsts) out of 11 entries.

The dining-room table arrangements were also outstanding. Howard Brown, Main St. north, exhibited, though not for competition, a dark purple dahlia 12 inches across the bloom. Few, if any, of the flower-lovers attending the show had ever seen anything like it.

Arrangements for the show were capably made by Secretary Norman Williams. Canterbury Bells (2 spikes), Miss L. Newton, Jas. Gibney.

Coropsis collection, Miss L. Newton, Howard Hugo, Mrs. J. Stephens.

Calendula (6 blooms), Miss L. Newton, L. P. Cane.

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**MR. AND MRS. JAS. CLOSS
CELEBRATE 50 YEARS
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Next Saturday friends and relatives of one of Aurora's best known married couples will gather to do honor to Mr. and Mrs. John Closs, Mosley St., whose 50th wedding anniversary fell on Sunday.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Closs come of old Scottish families and both were born at Maybole, Ayrshire, Scotland, in the famous district of Robert Bruce. Mr. Closs is now 70 and Mrs. Closs 68. Their marriage took place at Bridge St. station hotel, Glasgow, Scotland. Before her marriage Mrs. Closs was Annie Robb.

Mr. Closs is a shoe-cutter and pattern-maker by trade, serving his apprenticeship in St. Catharines shoe factory, Maybole, in 1911 he came to Canada to Hamilton, and in 1912 came to Aurora to work at the St. James and Underhill plants, where he worked for many years, until forced to retire through ill health.

"There were ten children born to them, six of whom are living. The family came to Aurora in 1912 and have lived here almost continuously except for a few years when the boys farmed on the second concession of Whitechurch.

"Aurora reminded us of our old home in Scotland when we first came here," said Mrs. Closs. "We have never regretted coming to Canada or Aurora. Canada is a land of milk and honey for those who are willing to work." Their six sons and daughters all live in Aurora, John on Kennedy St., James on Yonge St., Andrew and Joseph on Edward St., Mrs. Annie Summers on Victoria St., and Mrs. Joseph McGhee, on Yonge St.

There are 16 grandchildren. Both Mr. and Mrs. Closs have been strong Orange Protestants and followers of "the old Kirk" all their days. Mr. Closs was a member of the mother lodge of Scotland No. 85 before coming to Canada. Mrs. Closs is a past mistress and honorary member of Queen Mary L.O.B.A. She still attends practically every lodge meeting. Both are members of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

Mr. Closs from his earliest days has been an inveterate reader and student of politics and world events. He still finds solace with his beloved Scott, Burns, Shakespeare, Dickens and Victor Hugo. "There are no novels like them

**CLIFF CHAPMAN WINS
THREE BICYCLING EVENTS**

On Thursday night, the Aurora cycling club held a meet at Cousins race track with points to count in the standing for the Dawson trophy. Cliff Chapman, club champion, annexed all three events for a point total of 57 points. Bob Benville scored 23 points and Tom Raeside 12.

The results were: one mile, (time 2:35), Chapman, Hanson, Benville; one-half mile, (time 1:27), Chapman, Benville, Raeside; three-mile lap, Chapman, Benville, H. Foster and T. Raeside tied.

Club members are now sporting smart new blue and gold sweaters with a huge crest and the lettering "Aurora cycling club" on the front.

Today," he says. The politicians of today look like Mr. Closs, who says "there's hardly a statesman among them." He blames short-sighted policies and uncertainty and indecision for our present position in world politics.

"They became soft-hearted and soft-headed," he says. He has confidence, however, in Winston Churchill and is confident that the empire will win the war. "We have the men and the brains and resources to trim them all again if we'll only use them," he says. He is an authority on English history.

"Earlier in the week the ladies' auxiliary of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church presented Mrs. Closs with a beautiful bouquet of roses. On the same evening the members of Queen Mary L.O.B.A. gathered at the home of Mrs. Joe McGhee, and following an evening of hospitality presented Mrs. Closs with a cameo pendant.

Many beautiful presents have been received from Toronto, Galt and Aurora, and from California came a hand-worked cushion for Mrs. Closs and a pen and pencil set for Mr. Closs from Mr. and Mrs. James Rowan, Mr. Rowan being Mrs. Closs' only sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Gillespie of California also sent their aunt and uncle a California pine guest book.

Mr. and Mrs. Closs have not been in too good health for the past few years. Mr. Closs being confined to his home with arthritis. The big wish for them both from their many friends is that they may be spared to spend many more years amongst their family and friends.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Blair Richardson of North Bay, former Aurora resident, was in town on Sunday calling on friends.

Miss Bernice Charles and Miss Marjorie Andrews spent Monday and Tuesday at Pine Beach, Lake Simcoe.

Among those noticed on the grounds at the Aurora Red Cross community fair on Tuesday evening were: Esvee J. A. Knowles, Reedy and Mrs. Stanley Osborne of East Gwillimbury. Mrs. R. Merner and son of Kitchener, Pte. Keith Knowles of the Toronto Irish Regiment, and Ptes. Theodore Bull and James Cook of the Sutherland and Argyll Highlanders, Hamilton.

Rev. D. D. Gaynor of Chalmers United church, Woodstock, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hulse.

Master Malcolm Hill of Hamilton is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hill, Wellington St.

Miss Mary Walley of Toronto was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Rank for the weekend.

Miss Josephine Maaten is visiting friends in Toronto this week.

Donald and Joan Reynolds of St. Catharines have been visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bowman, this week.

Miss Malda Elide of Toronto has been the guest of Miss Frances Moore, Wells St., this week.

Miss Lois Webster has returned from a motor trip to Tobermory. Miss N. Holladay of Newmarket accompanied her.

Mrs. S. Cook of Toronto was visiting in town this week. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simmerson are spending their week's vacation in Orillia.

Miss Isobel McLean of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lundy of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. Thos. Carberry, Wellington St.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steels of Inlington (nee Eleanor Webster) spent Sunday with Mrs. Charles Webster, Yonge St.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knowles and family of Providence, R.I., have been visiting Mr. Knowles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Knowles, Catharine Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McMahon of Toronto spent Saturday with Miss Margaret McMahon, Larmont St.

Cpl. Howard Hulme of the R.C.S.C. Kingston, spent the weekend at his home, Oakridge.

Ptes. Theodore Bull, Len Chapman, and Jim Cook of the Argyll Highlanders of Hamilton were home for the weekend.

Pte. T. Leonard Chapman of the Toronto Irish Regiment spent the weekend at his home on Temperance St.

Dr. R. E. Robertson is holidaying in the Collingwood district.

Keith Davis of the R.A.F. has been transferred from Toronto to Montreal for training, and left on Sunday.

Councillor A. J. G. Wilson attended the police games at Varsity stadium on Saturday.

Miss Mildred Graham, Centre St., is on holidays this week.

Lt. Hugh Conn, R.C.E., Camp Borden, former Aurora boy, was in town on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Kerr, Mrs. R. Brigham and Misses Ada and Blanche Brigham of Brandon, Man., visited Mrs. C. W. Clubine, Wells St., on Monday.

Mrs. O. L. Andrews and Miss Catharine Andrews will shortly join Mr. Andrews at Nobel, Ont.

Mrs. Thos. Carberry of Wellington St. left on Friday for a trip to western Canada.

Mrs. Victor Blochin left on Sunday for New York city to visit her mother, who is ill.

Mrs. J. Banbury, Wellington St., returned home on Wednesday after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter Douglas of Belleville.

Miss Anna Morton of Mount Albert spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Miss June Seaton and attended the United church picnic on Wednesday.

WAS AT DUNKERQUE
Pte. Wilkie Fleury of the 48th Highlanders was among the members of that unit to land in France and successfully return from the historic evacuation of Dunkerque.

GOES TO CAMP
A nephew of Dr. C. R. Boulding, Dr. Herbert Wallace, who is on the staff of Toronto General Hospital, is at present examining officer with the Queen's Own Rifles, who are recruiting a second unit.

Later in the month he will go to Niagara Camp with the R.C.A.M.C. to obtain his commission and returning to the staff of the hospital will await his call to the colors.

RETURNS TO AURORA
Mrs. S. Graham, a former Aurora resident, has returned to town and taken up residence at her home, "Greenbank," Yonge St.

DOWN THE CENTRE

JEOPERS CREEPERS:

The Simcoe Softball circuit winds up tonight in Aurora and Newmarket and next Tuesday for Barrie and Richmond Hill. Aurora is the only club that cannot take down the first position by a win in the rest of the schedule.

A wire finish that would do credit to Larry McPhail or Conny Smythe is the present picture in Joe Spillette's group. It's been a well finish, with all four retaining teams having their big moments. Richmond Hill are favorites, with many, especially in Newmarket, to take down the bunting, and with the finest pitching staff in the league Charlie Ryan's boys will take some beating. Bennett, Stong and O'Dell are no pushovers at any stage. We're not venturing an opinion in this four-horse race.

All-star special comes out next week when Slaps, Pep and yours truly will do a little second guessing with the aid of the old crystal ball, an adding machine and some naturals.

My set-up isn't worked out yet, but we'll have a first and starting nine in any case. There are only one or two spots that present any difficulty.

Camp Borden presents a stickler, as I only saw them once and the airman failed to finish the schedule. We intend to pass them up, although we did have a weak spot for Portisider Smith, Hellman and Miller.

Feury-Bissell postponed their Elora trip on Saturday. It seems strange to see the dukes finding it difficult to field a team, and Aurora sports fans are going to miss a line bunch of fellows, who for the most part, are slowly but surely heading to the banks of the Grand.

Huck Wilson did the ironman act the day following the postponement for the town leaguers, in an epic struggle with the Fifth Liners, (not columnists) from the wilds of King township. They meet again this week, you know where and when.

"Nuggets" Shore has chalked up five straight triumphs in the Wanless Park senior loop. He still has the old Newmarket jinx on him, as he lost a tight pitchers' battle with Wes. Niles 3-1 last week. The score might easily have been reversed, but for the breaks. Niles, incidentally, seldom has been any better. His fast one was a dabb and in the clutch spots he was cool as a cucumber. Next time out against the Hill he was lucky to pull out a win.

Ace's Juniors are officially admitted to the O.A.S.A. play-downs, but no news is forthcoming as to their likely opponents in the first round. The following players are on the list of junior players:

Craig McKenzie, Eric Bilborough, Bob Hillis, Russ. Rawlings, Wyatt "Nibs" Saigie, Bill Thompson, George Hodgins, Harvey Fingold, "Nipper" Armstrong, Sam Walker, Ray Lloyd, "Pepper" Jennings.

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**ENGLISH REFUGEES
VISIT IN AURORA**

First refugees from the motherland to reach this district were Mrs. Michael Gold of "Hedson Farm," Buckinghamshire, England, and her two young daughters, Meriel, aged 5, and Belinda, aged 4.

They have been the guests for some days of Mrs. John Coulson, "Garlands," Aurora. The family intend to remain in Canada for the duration of the war and this week left for Muskoka. Mr. Gold is a lieutenant with the Imperial cavalry and is stationed in Palestine. Mrs. Coulson's husband is serving his country, too, being with the Toronto Scottish.

Awatled anxiously by her relatives is 11-year-old Dawn Walker of Chatham, England, who will stay in Canada for the war time, with her cousin, Mrs. Ivan Dunlop, and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Goulding, Connaught Ave. Dawn's father is an officer with the royal navy and her mother, who is Mr. Goulding's youngest sister, will remain in England. Dawn has been in Wales for the past few months.

**TAKE BAPTIST
CHURCH SERVICES**

Leonard O'Neill of Toronto was the preacher at the services of Aurora Baptist church last Sunday. The pastor, Rev. A. R. Park, is on holidays for a month.

Next Sunday Rev. J. L. Palfreman will have charge of the service. On Sunday, Aug. 4, the B.Y.P.U. will be in charge and Floyd Reynolds of Toronto, a former Aurora boy, will be the speaker.

WILL GO TO ELORA
Cecl Atkinson, who has been employed by a local company, has accepted a position with Fleury-Bissell at Elora and started work there this week. His father, William Atkinson, is also employed there.

**FAIR COMMITTEE
RECEIVES WIRE**

Previous to the opening of the Red Cross community fair last evening, Mrs. C. R. Boulding, who is representing the local branch at the nutrition course at Quelp, sent a wire of best wishes for the evening.

PREACHES AT THORNHILL
Rev. E. J. Thompson of the Aurora United church preached the induction sermon at Thornhill last Thursday evening when the Rev. Eldridge Curry, a former Newmarket boy, lately of Gore Bay United church, assumed the pastorate of Thornhill United church.

**ELECT SIX NEW STEWARDS
TO CHURCH BOARD**

Following the service at the United church on Sunday morning, six new stewards were elected to hold office on the board of the church, to make a total of 10 composing the board. Those named were J. H. Knowles, M. Kirkwood, Dr. C. J. Devins, B. F. Davis, Dr. G. W. Williams, and W. J. Sisman. The present stewards were J. Crockett, W. J. Knowles, J. Walker and J. Faris.

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George and Bruce Davis, Harold Neilly, and last but not least, Eugene "Joint" McComb.

There is a team that has real potentialities, if they get practice together and a little coaching. Rawlings, McComb, Hills and Billborough will likely be the hurling staff, but all four boys can hit and will doubtless fill in elsewhere when not on the rubber. Lloyd and Armstrong can really travel with the fastest in the outfield. The infield and catching staff are the parts that will need special attention to straighten out.

Schomberg, last year's O.R.S.A. champions, are up to their old tricks again and in the best-of-five series with King City took the opener 8-2 on Tuesday night. They met in the second game tonight. Ken Ellison and Bill Sutton were the winning battery over the Walker Brothers, who were on the points for King. The rural loop started with six teams. Schomberg, Colgan, Seaton, King City, Bolton and Kleinburg. Schomberg finished first and King fourth. This Schomberg team would make nice opposition for the juniors to try conclusions with.

Art Dykes and his Unionville lasses deserve a big hand for filling in against Newmarket ladies on Tuesday on fairly short notice. Both teams were warmly appreciated by Aurorans for doing their bit on the home front. Only unfavorable comment we heard was an oldtime follower of girls' softball, who opined the pitchers weren't in a class with the hurriers of yesterday, like Aurora's "Jimmy" Goulding, Stouffville's Irene Hare, Lansing's Babbs Chinery and Thornhill's "Lefty" Hooper. We were inclined to agree with that statement, too, but we could be wrong.

Battling Honors with a game to go find Frank Michanuk leading "Joint" McComb by .025. Michanuk has a nice average of .411, with McComb at .416. Patterson is the actual leader at .435, but he has only played three games. Will White has a nifty .351. Rouse in four games has .363. Other averages are: McKenzie .272, Ray White .250, Clubine .250, Heaney .223, Birchard .219, Holman .207, Shore .181 and Hodgins .157. Shore got over the 300 mark but has slipped steadily ever since. Departed players were Cook .428, Pearce .250, Sparks .250, and Lowe .303.

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IS ILL
Citizens will regret to learn that the Rev. Wellington Graham, a former Aurora boy and presently stationed at Englehart Presbyterian church, is seriously ill and confined to hospital at that place.

HOLD GARDEN PARTY
The Aurora branch of the Women's Institute held a garden party and picnic this afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Neely, Temperance St.

MEET IS ILL
Aemillius Jarvis, M.F.H., of Hazelburn farm, is confined to his residence with illness.

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Editor, The Era:

I don't just know what to say, as I am not much of a hand-at-writing, but here goes. First, I will introduce myself. I am a gunner of the 1st Med. Reg. R.C.A.—C.A.S.F. and my home is in Toronto. I receive your paper through a friend of mine from Aurora.

It appears to me that you are very much interested in men that have left Aurora to serve overseas. Well, there is one you have missed, simply because he never writes to friends about what he does or is doing. That person is Gnr. Bone S.

When he joined the artillery for the first time, he knew nothing about guns or handling a gun crew. Now, a short while after, he is a Bombardier, and you all know that promotion in times like these is really something to be proud of. I'm sure his friends would like to know. He is a swell guy, and that, coming from one of his gunners, is really something.

I enclose one of his snaps, taken in Northumberland (on the ranges), which I had to steal out of his kit.

Yours truly,
P.S. Give my best regards to all of his friends.

Bombardier Oliver is another lad with us whose head may be seen in the lower corner of the snap. He also is an Aurora lad, who, before the war, worked at St. Andrew's College. They are a great pair of lads.

England,
June 29, 1940

**UXBRIDGE DEFEAT
AURORA TO TIE SCORE**

Striking back hard on their own courts, Uxbridge tennis club defeated Aurora 5-2 in a series of club matches which left both teams tied for first place and a needed play-off for the group championship.

Aurora was only able to take the mixed doubles and the men's A doubles. Connie Willis and Delroy Babcock taking the former, and Lees Owsom and Stan. Walker the latter event.

The club played the final matches of the group against Richmond Hill last night.

Aurora and Uxbridge will play off on neutral courts, probably at Newmarket, soon.

IS ILL
Citizens will regret to learn that the Rev. Wellington Graham, a former Aurora boy and presently stationed at Englehart Presbyterian church, is seriously ill and confined to hospital at that place.

HOLD GARDEN PARTY
The Aurora branch of the Women's Institute held a garden party and picnic this afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Neely, Temperance St.

MEET IS ILL
Aemillius Jarvis, M.F.H., of Hazelburn farm, is confined to his residence with illness.

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EVERSLEY GIVES ILLUSTRATED ADDRESS ON BRITAIN

Eversley Church has been partly re-decorated and cleaned and proved a quiet, reverent background for the communion service held last Sunday morning. Rev. M. E. Burch officiated in his capable manner by just the right message, given in the right way. The choir sang "Tis Midnight."

Mrs. Chas. Cohen had her tonsils removed last Tuesday, and all hope her health will steadily improve.

Mr. Shropshire is still confined to his bed by the doctor's orders, as when he is going around he is too energetic. It is hard for an active farmer to keep from working in the busy summer time.

Mr. Scott Ferguson is now employed as an instructor at Malton airport. He, Mrs. Ferguson, and his mother, Mrs. Isa Ferguson, of Richmond Hill, were at 'Scots Wha Hae' on Sunday. They brought with them Mrs. Dickinson of Saint John, N.B., to visit her friend, Miss A. A. Ferguson. Mrs. Dickinson is visiting her brother, Mr. Bloomfield Jordan, of Richmond Hill.

Eversley W.M.S. held their July meeting in the church on Tuesday night. It was a perfect night. The church was nicely filled, and the program excellent.

Rev. J. C. Ross of Bolton gave a wonderful address, illustrated by a large number of slides, showing views of places visited while he and Mrs. Ross visited Britain a few years ago.

Mr. Ross has a delightful Irish wit, and interspersed his remarks with jokes. He sang "The Irish Jaunting Car" and "The Mountains of Mourne." He has a surprising memory for figures, i.e. it required 70,000 gallons of paint to give the last coat to the S.S. Queen Mary—the boat on which they travelled to England, returning in the boat in which the King and Queen came to Canada.

Miss Marie Ball gave two recitations and little Nancy Ball sang a sweet little missionary hymn. Rev. M. E. Burch assisted with the slides and Miss Ferguson presided.

The community welcomes Dr. Armitage, the new veterinary in King township, and his wife and Mrs. Armitage's aunt to King and Eversley church.

KING CITY

BREAKS SEVERAL RIBS IN FALL FROM WAGON

The community is sorry to hear of Mrs. Ed. Kyle's illness. Mrs. Kyle is in the Western hospital, Toronto, where she underwent an operation last Thursday. Everyone is glad to know she is getting along as well as possible.

Mrs. Harry McBride was admitted to the Western hospital, Toronto, on Sunday, where she had an operation for appendicitis. Her condition is reported as favorable.

Harvey Follitt fell last week off a wagon and broke several ribs.

Mr. Ken. Davis is home from Timmins for two weeks' holidays.

Mr. Charles Gates, who is in Trenton, spent the weekend at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hollingshead spent the weekend on the hundred mile cruise in Georgian Bay.

Mrs. Douglas Davis and Ken. and Mrs. Pinder, her sister, and Miss Ruth Pinder of Sharon took a cruise trip on Georgian Bay on Friday.

Rev. Mr. Galloway of the Baptist church was among the leaders at the boys' camp at Sibbald's Point and Rev. D. Davis was dean of the camp.

Among the boys who attended camp from King were: Roy Winters, Jimmie McDonald, Donald Jenkins, Lloyd Kinne, Donald and Douglas Davis.

On Sunday, at about two o'clock, a car went in the ditch on concession 4, by George Rumble's gate. The car was badly wrecked as it turned completely upside down. No one was injured.

SCHOMBERG

DISTRICT CHURCHES JOIN ANGLICAN PICNIC

Several residents are working at present in Camp Borden. D. A. Wauchope, T. Cronin and F. Cantelon are all working at carpentry.

Mrs. W. L. McGowan and her sister, Mrs. E. Carter, and son, Lorne, spent the weekend at Innisfil Park, Lake Simcoe.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Marchant and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Marchant spent last Sunday in Toronto, the guests of Miss E. Bond and Mr. Perry Bond.

Dr. Eric Dillane of the Canadian Army Medical Corps has returned from Ottawa, where he was taking training and spent Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. K. Dillane.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison and family are on a two weeks vacation. Mr. Morrison is manager of the Royal Bank here.

The Anglican church held its annual congregational picnic last Friday at Innisfil Park. The churches at Kettleby and Nobleton joined with the Schomberg church for this happy get-together and outing. The weather was favorable and both young and old enjoyed a good day's fun, both in and out of the water.

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QUEENSVILLE

YOUNG PEOPLE WILL
PROVIDE W.I. PROGRAM

The regular meeting of the
Women's Institute will be held
at the home of Mrs. Stanley Eves
on Wednesday, July 31, at 2.30
p.m. The program will be in the
charge of the young people of the
community.

Miss Lorna Pearson, B.A., will
give an interesting address and
other items will include piano
solos, vocal solos and contests.

Each member is asked to bring
cookies. A cookie contest will
be a special feature during the
afternoon. Ladies are invited to
come along and bring someone
with them.

Miss Louise Morton is spending
a few days with Mrs. Carlyle
Peterson at Aurora.

Miss Marion Eves and Miss
Dorothy Smith are visiting their
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm.
Eves.

Mrs. Hutchinson of Beaverton
spent a few days this week with
Mrs. S. Newall.

Mr. Clifford Burkholder of
New Liskeard visited Mr. W. A.
Burkholder this week.

Queensville Y.P.U. ball team
is in on the finals and will play
in Sharon at the Young People's
picnic, on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. A. Burkholder is hol-
idaying at her cottage at Stony
Pt., Lake Simcoe.

Mr. Arthur Abrey and Miss
Pearl White visited at the Hunt-
ley home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Standish
of Toronto called on Miss Elsie
Huntley on Sunday. She returned
to Toronto with them on Sun-
day evening.

Mrs. A. R. McKenzie had the
misfortune to sprain her ankle
one day this week. However, she
is able to be around again.

Mr. Arthur Brown spent the
weekend in Muskoka visiting
friends.

Miss A. Irwin and Miss Marg-
aret Lee of Toronto are spend-
ing a few weeks with Mrs. J. T.
Cowieson.

Holt

Owing to the heavy rainfall on
Saturday, the community picnic
was postponed until a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strudley of
Stratford called on their nephew,
Mr. Murray Varney, on Monday
afternoon.

Miss Melissa Cunningham of
Toronto is spending some holidays

with relatives here.

Mrs. Geo. D. Mallin and sons of
Swastika, and Mrs. Gordon Morris
of Toronto spent the weekend with
Mr. and Mrs. John Janson.

Mrs. Walter Couch, Jack and
David, left Wednesday to spend a
few weeks with Mr. Walter Couch
at Toronto.

Mr. Roy Gibney of Toronto
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
Milton Gibney.

A large crowd attended camp
meeting on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Morton of
Oakwood spent Sunday with Mr.
and Mrs. John Hogg.

PERENNIALS

By GOLDEN GLOW

I missed the Peony show on
June 22, but I am glad to say that
I saw the perennials, and for
variety and beauty we must admit
our perennials make a grand
show.

Maybe it isn't as delightful as
the Peony show, or as spectacular
as the Gladioli, but our very soul
is woven into the fibre of per-
ennials, for they are the backbone
of every garden! The perennials
that year after year greet us with
their smiling faces in the same
spot in our beloved gardens! From
early spring to late in the fall,
when Jack Frost nips our flowers,
and lays low our borders, we have
a continued succession of bloom.

From the early flowering bulbs
and the Bleeding-Heart, Lily-of-
the-valley, English violets, Sweet

KESWICK

LOCAL AND RADIO

TALENT HELP CHURCH

The garden party and church
supper held by the Women's
Association of Keswick United
church on Wednesday evening,
July 17, was an outstanding suc-
cess.

The delicious salad supper was
served from 5 o'clock D.S.T. till
the concert began. The arrange-
ments for the supper were in the
charge of Miss Eva Gilroy. To
Mrs. McGenerty, the president of
the Women's Association, Miss
Gilroy and all her helpers, the
credit of the success of the sup-
per is due.

Miss Joan Baines, Miss Marjorie
Glover and Miss Doris McGen-
erty conducted the very attractive
booth where homemade candy,
ice-cream and cold drinks were
sold.

W. Davison and Orville King
were in charge of the program.
Mr. Startup also helped with the
program, which was varied and
very entertaining. Rev. Gordon
Lapp, who was chairman, opened
the program with prayer, follow-
ed by the singing of "God Save
the King."

Mrs. Ray, Mrs. Best, Miss
Richardson, Miss McMaster, the
Dew sisters, Mr. Lloyd, Charlie
Milestead, Isaac King, Kenneth
Morton, Miss Lillian Connell and
a number of the younger girls
were the entertainers.

Mr. Lloyd convulsed the
audience, especially the younger
members, with his splendid
character selections, which he
gave in costume. At the last he
gave a selection about "a bad
little boy and a bent little pin,"
especially for his younger listen-
ers. Miss Richardson and Miss
McMaster from Bondhead gave
beautiful duet performances on
the piano.

Charles Milestead played old
and popular airs on his musical
saw. Mrs. Ray, a radio artist,
sang beautifully and Mrs. Best
played and gave a splendid
rousing rendering of patriotic
readings to her own accompani-
ment on the piano. The Dew
sisters, young girls who hope to
be on the radio soon, played a
generous number of popular and
patriotic selections on their very
pretty accordions.

Isaac King and Kenneth Mor-
ton gave appropriate vocal selec-
tions, which were greatly appre-
ciated by their listeners. Miss
Lillian Connell, who has an un-
usually clear and sweet voice,
sang "There'll always be an
England," the audience joining in
the chorus. A number of the
younger girls put on a deligh-
tful chorus and play, "The Way
Grandfather and Grandmother
Ate." The program closed with
the singing of "O Canada."

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Draper and
Mary Draper, who reside near
London, Ontario, were visiting
Mr. and Mrs. Fisher over the
weekend.

Mr. Gladstone Marritt of
Hamilton was visiting his father,
Mr. William Marritt, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith,
from near Washington, D.C.,
visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mar-
ritt recently. Mrs. Smith is a
cousin of Mrs. Marritt.

Miss Margaret Fockler of
Maple visited Mrs. Perry Wineh
last week.

The local Red Cross announces
again that they are holding
regular work meetings every
Tuesday afternoon in the Sun-
day-school room of the United
church starting at 2 p.m.,
standard time. All women are
invited.

Zephyr

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and two
sons of Hong Kong, China, who
have been home on furlough in
England, are returning to Hong
Kong via San Francisco and are
stopping off a few weeks in
Canada.

Mr. Jackson is employed by the
Hong Kong government as an
engineer and surveyor of ocean-
going vessels leaving the British
port.

Mr. Alex. Smith of Galt spent
Sunday with his cousin, Gordon
Rynard.

Mrs. Smith and Miss Heffernan
of Guelph, who have been spend-
ing their holidays at the Rynard
farm, returned home on Sunday.

Miss Helen Rynard of Toronto,
who has been home for three
weeks, returned to the city Sun-
day evening.

Miss Dorothy Ferguson had a
friend from Georgetown visiting
her for a few days.

Mr. Jas. Marshall has gone
north for a week's holiday.

The garden party held at Mr.
and Mrs. A. S. Arnold's home
was a decided success. The
weather was all that could be
desired. The program was first
class, and a large crowd attend-
ed. The proceeds were very satis-
factory. Many thanks go to Mr.
and Mrs. Arnold for the use of
their excellent grounds.

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SNOWBALL
DEPARTING FAMILY IS
HONORED BY FRIENDS

A very pleasant evening was
spent at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Frank Williams last Friday,
when about 60 people gathered.
Music and games were enjoyed.
Master Charlie and Bill Williams
gave several selections on the
cornet and trombone which were
much appreciated.

Rev. W. J. Burton of Kettleby
called the meeting to order and,
on behalf of the community,
a presentation of a radio was
made to Mrs. T. K. Ferguson and
family, who have been long resi-
dents of this community and who
have recently moved to Aurora
to make their home. The com-
munity wishes them all that is
good in their new home in
Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans of Toronto
are holidaying at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davison.

Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt of
Wheeling West, Virginia, were
weekend guests at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Owen Barr.

Mr. Charlie Little has enlisted
and left for Toronto on Monday
evening last. He will be missed
very much in this neighborhood.

Mr. Aubrey Wood is on the
sick list this week.

Congratulations are extended
to the Glenville Young People,
who won the season's series in
baseball. The final game was
played last Thursday evening at
Snowball.

Pleasantville

Mrs. Gordon Preston of Hamil-
ton's corner is spending a few
days with Mrs. A. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffiths of New
York visited at Mr. C. D. Bar-
ber's, Bogartown, a few days
ago.

Mr. Ronald Hawtin of Ottawa,
and Miss Edith Hawtin of New-
market spent a week ago Sun-
day with Mrs. Hawtin and Mrs.
Starr.

Mrs. Pingle of Toronto has
been a guest for some time at
the Harper home.

Miss Florence Tucker of Tor-
onto had Sunday night tea at her
home, the occasion being her
birthday.

Master R. Brooks and Miss
Patricia Wilks of Stratford are
spending a few holidays with
Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Barber,
Bogartown.

On Sunday, July 27, at the
union church at 11.15 a.m., Dr.
D. McIntyre of Newmarket will
deliver his farewell sermon.

There was a very good attend-
ance at the ice-cream social last
Thursday evening under the
auspices of the Willing Workers.
Everyone present enjoyed them-
selves, and the returns were very
gratifying.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs.
A. Ridley, who last Saturday
learned of the death of her
brother in the Peace River
district, Alta. His wife died just
six months ago.

Gradually the new road is
being completed and several
men employed by the company
have left for their new work at
Markstay, during the past week.

Cedar Brae

Most of the people of this
district attended the annual
Zephyr garden party, which was
a splendid success.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kay of New
Toronto spent the weekend with
Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Kay.

Mrs. Robt. Kay spent Saturday
at Midland.

Mrs. Ed. Rae is spending a few
days with her mother, who is
seriously ill.

The Delruie sisters are spending
their holidays in the village.

Mr. John Black of Toronto
visited friends here last week.

Rockets and so on, right through
to that sturdy sunny flower we
call Japanese sunflower, not know-
ing its correct name.

The Lupins and the Foxgloves
(I think all the flowers deserve
capital letters!), the Campanula or
Canterbury Bells, the Delphinium,
the Shasta Daisy and the perennial
Coreopsis (and how I do love it!)
the Galliard, red and orange
and the dainty Achillea, to say
nothing of the Camomile (Fever-
few) and the Hollyhock, the per-
ennial Primrose, and the Sweet
William.

Well, bless my heart, I didn't
realize when I started to write
about perennials how many differ-
ent varieties we have, and I can
think of heaps and heaps more,
for each and all are so lovely!

But, you see, I was just thinking
of them in the order in which they
bloom. Some of what I have
named are over, and some bloom-
ing, while there are many still to
flower. The Baby's Breath and
the Achillea are out now, and the
Forget-me-nots still have a few
sky-blue flowers, and the peren-
nial Candytuft, and the Dianthus,
those dainty flowers we call
"Pinks"—well, would you believe
it, I left out Oriental Poppies?

And we have Iceland Poppies as
well, and California Poppies.

Dear me, and I haven't even
mentioned the autumn perennials
and I can still think of other
summer ones. If I keep on, you'll
think I am a flower catalogue.

But what about all the lovely rock
garden varieties? The pretty
blue Flax, "Blue were her eyes as
the fairy Flax that blooms in the
month of May," as it says of the
captain's daughter in "The Wreck
of the Hesperus." And also in the
rock gardens are the different
colored sedums or Stonecrop, and
the Violas, the perennial Pansies
that we used to call "Johnny-
Jump-ups."

Then back to borders again, we
have Scarlet Lightning with each
flowerlet in the shape of a "Flery
Cross." It is out now, and there
was a grand display at the flower
show. Is it what we call Beesbalm,
or is that the flowering Bergamot?

I must ask Mr. Stephenson, who
has the lovely garden up near the
fair ground, for he has every
known flower I am sure, and I feel
confident he knows them all by
name.

And soon now our autumn
flowers will be starting. I have
a huge clump of Golden Rod and
you never saw such a glory as it
is when it flowers—it surely did
respond to cultivation!

Then the Golden Glow is start-
ing (my name-sake) and the
perennial Phlox—and, of course,
all the Lilies, the lovely Lilies,
the Madonna and the Regal and the
Tiger Lily and a host of others.

Then the Roses, but they come
under shrubs, don't they? Dear
me, I am getting myself involved

and tangled up. But the autumn
perennials—I can't stop before
mentioning them, the Phlox, as I
said, and the Chrysanthemums, the
Michaelmas Daisies and the
Helenium.

Now I wonder why we call the
Helenium the sneezeweed? (It
makes you think of Snow White
and the Seven Dwarfs and the one
she called "Sneezele!") But then so
many of our flowers have "pet
names." If we called Baby's
Breath by its real name, Gypso-
philla, and Bleeding-Heart by its
name, Dicentra or Deletria and the
Hollyhock by its aristocratic name
of Althaea, I'm sure we would not
think half so much of them, now
would we?

In the first place we have to
check up on our spelling (please
don't check me up, I'd probably
get pretty poor marks and be
relegated to the foot of the class!)
and then you know children can't
get their tongues around those big
names, and we want children to
learn to love the flowers and take
an intelligent interest in them as
young as we can get them interest-
ed.

And I must not end this without
telling of some of the wonderful
perennials at our show last Sat-
urday night, for I am sure Newmar-
ket stands high in horticulture,
and Saturday night's show, while
not perhaps up to the usual stand-
ard as to quantity most certainly
had quality.

The most outstanding of all was
a huge basket of delphiniums, of
every shade known to delphiniums,
and I do not think I am exag-
gerating when I say some of them
must have been five or even six
feet tall! Such perfect blossoms
too, so round and full from the
bottom to the top. They were a
marvel to all beholders, and I did
hear that even the judge, himself a
grower of delphiniums, said he had
never seen anything to equal them.

I think honor where honor is due
applies here, so I shall not hesitate
to proclaim to the world that they
were grown by an estimable citizen,
Howard Hugo.

That basket, together with Mrs.
E. Brammer's Madonna lilies and
Royal lilies and Miss Newton's
stalk of some tiny orange lilies
under "Lily, any other kind" were
a feature of the show. There were
samples of every kind of perennial
in flower at present. Sweet Peas
and Pansies and Roses as well, and
decorated luncheon tables.

A jar of golden perennial Cor-
eopsis shone in the lamp-light like
the pot of gold at the foot of the
rainbow! The delphiniums occu-
pied long tables the length of the
room. One jar of Campanula was
lovely, the cup and saucer Canter-
bury Bells of a delicate pink
shade. It really was a splendid
flower show.

It's the regular advertiser who
gets the regular trade of his
community.

Pine Orchard

Mrs. W. Kidd and son, Har-
mon, of Toronto visited Mr. and
Mrs. G. Stevens on Sunday.

Miss Viva Shropshire, Messrs.
Richard Hutchinson and Howard
Lehman are attending Bible
school at Omagh.

Miss Jean Stevens spent Sun-
day with the group at Omagh.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Widdi-
field, Joan and Paul, of New-
market, spent Sunday with the
Misses Widdifield. Joan is spend-
ing two weeks with her aunts.

Mrs. C. Brandon visited in
town on Tuesday.

Mr. Herbert Reid and friend,
Mr. Madill, of Toronto spent the
weekend at the Reid home.

Mr. Jesse Lundy is quite poorly.
All hope he'll soon be around
again.

Mr. W. Bosworth of Toronto
was home for Sunday.

Quite a number from here
attended the garden party at
Zephyr on Thursday evening.

Miss Isabelle Roland of New-
market, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Doug-
las and Alfred, of Toronto, were
Sunday guests at Mr. Geo.
Wood's home.

Stickler for Accuracy

"And so," said the magistrate,
"this is the fifth person you've
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motorist, with dignity, "the
fourth. One of them was the
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Mount Albert

Mrs. S. Jewell of New Liskeard was a weekend visitor at the home of her nephew, Mr. W. R. Steeper.

Miss Mina Oliver has returned to Toronto after spending holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver.

Robert Boag was taken to Christie St. hospital, Toronto, on Saturday, where he underwent an operation on his arm. Mr. Boag had bruised his arm, which had been seriously wounded in the last war.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott of Oshawa were guests at the home of Mr. Greig Scott last Friday.

Mr. Ernie Lunan and Miss Edith Smith have both returned home from York County hospital and friends wish them both a speedy recovery.

Dr. and Mrs. Carruthers and Ann spent a few days last week in Muskoka with the family of Rev. H. O. Hutcheson.

A cloudburst of rain hit the village and country around here on Sunday afternoon, after which gardens and crops looked rather flattened out. The rain lasted over an hour.

A great many from here attended Zephyr garden party on Wednesday evening last week.

Mr. David Harwood, who is attending summer school in Toronto, was home over the weekend.

Mrs. Barnes attended the funeral of her uncle, Mr. McNab,

at Toronto, on Friday afternoon. Mrs. W. W. Shields of Toronto was at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. Pearson, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Loach of Toronto were in town over the weekend.

Miss Helen Hayes of Port Perry spent last week with her aunts, the Misses Hayes.

Miss Ruth Armstrong spent a couple of weeks holidays with relatives at Bolton.

The choir of the United church held a very delightful picnic at Port Bolster on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. John Watts is staying with her son, Mr. Ed. Watts. Mr. Alex. Cuyler is having two weeks holidays and he and Mrs. Cuyler have gone to Toronto.

Miss Smith of Oakville visited her sister, Mrs. Tilley, over the weekend.

The ball game between Mount Albert and Sharon on Thursday evening was rather a poor one, the home team winning by a large score.

The United Sunday-school of Mount Albert and Hartman motored to Jackson's Point on Wednesday for their annual picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pegg and family of Belhaven and Miss B. Pegg of Sutton were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr.

Rev. and Mrs. Binington and Ann were at the home of Rev. R. V. Wilson on Sunday. They leave on Tuesday of this week for their new charge in St. John, Newfoundland.

Mr. Frank Calver still con-

tinues quite ill at York county hospital.

Dr. Florence Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Remus and children of Chicago, Ill., were guests of their cousin, Miss Leek, on Saturday.

Miss E. Leek spent Sunday at Orillia with her cousin, Mr. Theo. Wilmut.

Mrs. Rennie, Sr., has returned from two weeks holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rennie of Kitchener spent the weekend with Mr. Rennie's brother, Mr. Jas. Rennie.

MOUNT PLEASANT HEAVY RAIN FLATTENS RIPENING FALL WHEAT

The heavy rain of Sunday flattened a good deal of the fall wheat that was nearly ready to cut.

The song of the binder will soon be heard. Some are busy haying yet.

Next Sunday will be Rev. Dr. Mark's last Sunday at Mount Pleasant, as he has accepted a call to Hanover.

Mrs. John Hopkins, Sr., visited her parents at Keswick on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson and John, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cryderman of Langstaff and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kay of Belhaven spent Sunday at Lake Dalrymple.

Quite a number from here attended the camp meeting on Sunday at Holland Landing.

The Mount Pleasant ladies' aid supper will be held at the home of Geo. Stiles on Friday, July 26. Supper will be served from 5.30 to 8 on the lawn, weather permitting. All members are asked to provide. All are invited to come and spend a pleasant evening with the Mount Pleasant people.

Mrs. Harry Davis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson.

BELHAVEN

There are no complaints about cool weather now. The thermometer registered 82 in the shade at 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Mr. George Willoughby has been quite sick for about a week. Two Belhaven boys, Chas. Whittaker and Carl Tomlinson, have enlisted.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson of Toronto spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winch.

Belhaven Women's Institute are looking forward to spending a pleasant afternoon at Willow Beach at Mile Sedore's park on the second Tuesday in August. The convenors for the program are Phyllis Sedore, Jean Morton, and Helen Huntley. There will be a bazaar and homemade candy and baking sale for the Red Cross. Everyone please provide something for sale.

Everyone please provide for picnic lunch. Meeting commences at 2.30 p.m.

Kettleby

Mr. and Mrs. K. Blanchard of Richmond Hill were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Archibald on Sunday.

Miss M. Northgraves of Ailsa Craig is visiting relatives in this community.

Miss Beatrice Rank of Aurora visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Curtis on Monday.

Mrs. Rosborough has returned to her home in Toronto much improved in health after staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mount, for a few weeks convalescing after a serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Boadway of Toronto were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson.

Pte. Wilfrid Wells of Camp Borden spent the weekend at his home here.

Pte. and Mrs. Richard Morris, and son, of Toronto, spent the

weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morris and Mr. and Mrs. J. Dutcher.

Mr. Ross Burton and a friend of Toronto were weekend guests at the parsonage.

Mrs. Mabel Terry of Newmarket was a guest last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack MacDonald and Miss A. Allan of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. John Craighton, Mary and Willson, spent the weekend in Muskoka with Mrs. Craighton's sister, Mrs. A. McBain.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blachford spent Sunday at Cambray, their nephew, Reggie Jewell, returning with them to spend some holidays here.

Mr. A. Murray of Alliston spent a couple of days this week visiting relatives here.

Mr. Henry Heacock has returned to his home somewhat improved in health after being in York county hospital for several weeks.

Mrs. T. Blackburn has arrived home after recuperating at her son's home in Toronto for several weeks following a serious illness.

Miss Jean Clapson of Orillia and her aunt, Mrs. Reid, of Downsview, entertained a number of Miss Clapson's girl friends at a picnic on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Heacock spent the weekend at her home here. Miss Eunice Murray spent last week with Miss Isobel Follitt, King City.

VANDORF VISITORS ENTERTAIN AT LAWN GATHERING

The Vandorf W. I. entertained the Wexford branch of the W. I. last Wednesday afternoon, July 17, on the lawn, at the home of Mrs. C. Moynihan.

The weather was all one could wish for such a gathering and the flowers surrounding the lawn were beautiful. There was an attendance of 42.

Mrs. R. Scott, president of the Vandorf branch, occupied the chair for the opening and business part of the meeting, after which the meeting was taken over by the Wexford ladies, who gave a very educational and entertaining program, consisting of two musical selections, a reading, a paper on laws concerning women, followed by questions and a quiz program.

Mrs. Ralph Willis reported on the organization meeting for North York of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture, then closed the meeting with prayer.

On Wednesday afternoon, July 31, the Vandorf W. I. will hold a tea and quilting party on the lawn at the home of Mrs. C. Moynihan. They have three quilts to do for the Red Cross, so ladies are asked to come, bring their friends and bring needles. Entertainment will be provided, and the proceeds of the meeting are for Red Cross work.

RED CROSS FAIR

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ber was ticket No. 303, held by Robert Rank.

The grounds were picturesquely decorated with pennants, streamers, tall standards, and colored lights, and the booths were strategically placed in a lovely avenue.

Max Boag and his orchestra played from a decorated bandstand in front of the high school for the dance. Previous to the start of the dance the Aurora boys' band, under the direction of Robert Moore, gave a splendid band concert.

The booths were a hive of activity all evening and so great was the demand that they were practically forced to hang out the "sold out" sign before closing time.

Frank Griffiths and his Hayabers provided music from the booth of the co-operative women's guild.

The United church and St. Andrew's Presbyterian church handled the food concessions. The Baptist church had a sewing and handicraft booth, Mrs. N. Eade and Mrs. H. Aldrich a white elephant booth and the Women's Institute handled soft drinks, ice-cream, etc.

A fish-pond for the children was in the charge of the parochial guild of Trinity Anglican church. The Rebekah lodge had three expert tea-cup readers, Mrs. H. Hulme, Mrs. W. Starkey and Mrs. H. Squibb, busily engaged all evening. P. J. Whytock of Eaton Hall farm handled the coin game.

Queen Mary L.O.B.A. the silver mine, the Girl Guides sold candy, while numerous prominent business men vied with the best midway barker in luring the crowd to the coconut shy and the other games.

ASK FOR VACATION HOMES FOR CHILDREN

In addition to the children and mothers sent each summer to Camp Bolton, the Neighborhood Workers Association strives to provide holidays for some 1,200 children, who, for various reasons cannot be sent to camp.

Through the country home department these children are sent to homes within a radius of 150 miles from Toronto. The Neighborhood Workers Association pays all transportation costs but no board is paid. Persons living in the country, who have room in their home for one or two children, generously co-operate with the N.W.A. by taking city children for a two weeks vacation period free of charge.

It is not expected that the hostess will lay out any elaborate plan of entertainment for the child. Any home that can offer a garden—or a nearby green field (practically unknown to many children who live in the factory areas) three plain, nourishing meals a day, and a comfortable bed, can be a happy holiday spot.

Holiday homes need not be any great distance from the city. Even homes on the outskirts of Toronto can provide unbelievable pleasure for children who live in the crowded downtown areas.

Pressing need of the Neighborhood Workers Association at present is to locate farm homes where boys from eight to twelve years of age can realize their dream of "living on a real farm."

Hostesses of previous years have, in a great many cases, invited back to their homes the children who visited them last year. Also, there is very little difficulty in placing small children around four to seven years of age. But there are hundreds of children over seven—many of whom are called upon to bear heavy responsibilities in their homes—who are in need, and very deserving of a vacation.

Letters of invitation should be addressed to the Neighborhood Workers Association, Country Homes Department, 22 Wellesley St., Toronto. They should state clearly how many children are invited; the age and sex preferred, and give details of the best transportation route, and where the children will be met; also a letter of reference from the minister of their church.

All children are medically examined before leaving Toronto.

FLIES AND GOOD HEALTH CANNOT EXIST TOGETHER

The diseases and maladies that can be attributed to the common house fly can hardly be overstated. It has been proven, through laboratory tests, that more than 30 different disease organisms are carried by these pests. Also, that the bacteria on the hairy body of a single fly is sufficient to infect an entire household. Yet, in spite of warnings by medical authorities, many people far too often accept the fly's existence and tolerate its presence as an inevitable nuisance during sunny days and warm weather.

Every year, unfortunately, we pay dearly for this indifference with outbreaks of infectious diseases for the simple reason that these germ carriers, born and matured in filth, eventually transmit this filth to drinks and food left uncovered. Summer dysentery and other infant maladies can often be traced to ordinary house flies.

A very effective, convenient and inexpensive method is to trap the flies with fly pads. Three or four of these, placed in strategic points throughout the house, will work quickly, cleanly and kill all the flies. This protection should start with the first sign of the fly season and continue throughout the summer months.

If every home and eating place adopted this precautionary measure, much would be accomplished in banishing the menace to our health—and thus make the community a safer, cleaner place to live in.

They'll Teach Him New Tricks
The fond mother wrote to her son who was on military service:

"I hope that you have now learned to get up punctually every morning so that you do not keep the whole battalion waiting for breakfast."

TWO CENTS SEPARATE POOR, RICH—DR. BOYD

The regular weekly meeting of the Youth Group was held in the Salvation Army Hall on Friday evening. The meeting was managed by the educational group under the leadership of Mary Henry.

Guest soloist for the evening was Donald Galbraith, Aurora, who sang two solos, "Did you think to pray?" and "I will protect you."

The town's first citizen, Mayor Dr. S. J. Boyd gave a helpful educational talk on citizenship.

"One of the chief characteristics of a good citizen is sportsmanship," began Dr. Boyd. "If you are a good sport, you are not offended easily. If you are not a good sport you are continually grumbling about everything going on in town. This does not make a good citizen."

"To be a good citizen, especially as young people, always learn to pay your debts. A person who has the reputation of always paying his debts has a very good reputation. There is only two cents difference between being bankrupt and unhappy and being a good financier and therefore always happy. If out of every dollar you earn, you spend no more than 99 cents, you will always have your debts paid and always have money on hand. If you live within your means, you are always happy. Now suppose you spend \$1.01 for every dollar you earn, then you are in debt. This gradually leads to bankruptcy and worries of all kinds. Learn to be a good financier, thus, to be a good citizen."

"You must belong to some church and attend its services to be a good citizen. You must have a religious inclination. All the good things we now handle are a result of the lives of our religious forefathers. Be connected with a church and be a good citizen."

"You have heard people say, 'His word is as good as his bond.' This truthfulness is a good quality in anyone. If you have a friend whom you can trust, you

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"Charity in itself makes a person a first-class citizen," concluded Dr. Boyd.

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The United States government has in readiness for use at any time posters carrying this old message, "Your country needs you!" Washington also has ready the copy for similar newspaper advertising to be released in haste in case of a declaration of war. In fact, a large-scale newspaper campaign urging men to serve their country in the active service branches is kept in constant readiness by the U. S. department for war as just as necessary as arms and armaments.

Strange, isn't it, when you remember that there is also a United States conscription law which would by lottery give Uncle Sam all the men he needed? Somebody wasting money on needless advertising? What is the explanation?

The answer is that if war should come to the United States the advertising is calculated to create an attitude of mind which would greatly simplify the conscription job. Men, as a result of the barrage of advertising which would confront them, would serve more readily and willingly, and would co-operate with the government in making conscription a success.

It strikes us that this is the best illustration we have ever seen of what advertising does. It creates an attitude of mind. It breaks down resistance. It is informative and encouraging. It is used to cause people to do cheerfully and willingly even what they have to do.

It is true that people have to buy food anyway. They have to buy clothes anyway. They have to buy a new tire to replace the old one. Why, therefore, use advertising? Why should money be spent on advertising?

The answer is that advertising is just the dissemination of news, information, and appeals, creating attitudes, impulses and determinations. Advertising speeds up business, quickens factory output, wholesale and retail turn-over, keeps down the cost of production and improves the product.

Advertising makes a conscripted army a better, more efficient army, making the men feel that they have given their services rather than that the country has taken them. Advertising makes the public better, more intelligent buyers and direct buyers to the most alert merchandisers.

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Tuesday, May 21 — To Arthur Hall's, lot 6, con. 3, East Gwillimbury, for noon. Wm. Wrightman's, lot 12, con. 2, East Gwillimbury, for night.

Wednesday — To Albert Morning's in King, just west of Yonge St., for noon. To his own stable for night.

Thursday — To Earl Harrison's, lot 17, con. 5, East Gwillimbury, noon. To Geo. Mundy, lot 13, con. 6, corner, North Gwillimbury, for night.

Friday — Calling at Arthur Huntley's, lot 3, con. 4, North Gwillimbury, then to Doug Cooper's, on the baseline, North Gwillimbury, for noon. To Irvine Ross's, corner of lot 31, con. 4, East Gwillimbury, for night.

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